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PREPARING FOR BREAK WITH AUSTRIA

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Preparations are being made by the state department for an expected diplomatic break with Austria. A reply, conciliatory in tone, but refusing the demanded disavowal of the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona, has been completed by the Austrian foreign office. It is expected here that it contends that Austria does not accept the interpretation of the rules of international law made by the United States. On the contrary, Austria holds that she was well within her rights as she understands them, in sinking the Ancona, when the latter vessel tried to escape after being ordered to stop. This reply either is on the way from Vienna or will be handed to Ambassador Penfield today. Officials say that it will prove most unsatisfactory to this government and they believe that the threatened diplomatic break must come unless German influences can force a reconsideration by Austria at the last moment.

So far as diplomatic break with Austria is concerned officials here point out that it can hardly complicate the situation to any serious extent. Austria will suffer more than will the United States because of the enormous Austrian interests in this country. Because cable communication with Vienna consumed two days Ambassador Penfield practically has played a lone hand in dealing with United States affairs in the Dual Empire. There are very few Americans in Austria and it is not believed they would be in any danger should Ambassador Penfield be withdrawn. Just who would care for United States interests in case of a break is known only to President Wilson and Secretary Lansing. It is understood that they have discussed this possibility and have reached a decision, but that until a break actually comes the identity of the "friendly power" will be concealed. In this country the Bulgarian minister will act temporarily for Austria, although later on the affairs of the embassy will be turned over to the Spanish ambassador.

It is certain that if Ambassador Penfield is recalled it will not be until after President Wilson returns to the capital next week. It is realized here that Berlin still is doing its best to swing Austria into line and it is entirely possible that if the government persistently rejects the suggestions in the coming note that then Austria will decide to accept the United States position. But officials, while hoping that this may be so, are going ahead on the assumption that Penfield will be withdrawn and Charge Zwiadnek sent home.

SLEET AND GALE STRIKE NEW YORK

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 29.—A gale which was ushered in by rain and sleet, struck New York today. The weather bureau predicted that, before midnight, the wind would have attained a velocity of at least sixty miles an hour.

The storm swept through the middle western states from Virginia and Kentucky. In Ohio and other states telephone and telegraph wires were blown down and direct telegraphic routes were out of the question.

Snow and sleet fell in New York for several hours this morning and soon the streets were covered with slush. Railroad traffic was at a standstill and thousands of commuters were late for work.

The local weather bureau gave out the following storm warning: "Northeast storm warning displayed 9:30 a. m. New England coast. Storm over Tennessee moving rapidly northeast. Increasing easterly winds probably reaching gale force tonight."

Bernhardt Not Ill.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Paris, Dec. 29.—Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, the famous actress who has recently been reported very ill, arrived here today from Bordeaux. Mme. Bernhardt was looking exceedingly well and when asked how she felt she replied: "Way, I am as fit as a fiddle. Reports that I was seriously ill were absolutely false. I am leaving for London Friday to fill a theatrical engagement."

Butterfly Ball Returns Waiting.

The returns from the Butterfly Ball are now all in with the exception of a report as to fourteen tickets. It is desirable that the report of these tickets, either in money or returned tickets be made at once, so that the treasurer may conclude their report and the matter be closed up.

Gifts Presented.

The Christmas Tree at St. John's Episcopal Church, with the accompanying service was largely attended last evening. In addition to the gifts to the pupils of the Sunday School, Superintendent Fred Winters, 222 Organist J. D. Martin were each presented with a fine umbrella.

PEACE TERMS GERMANY MAY OFFER

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—The Wolff News Agency, quoting from the Swiss newspaper Neue Zuercher Zeitung, of Zurich, gives the following terms upon which Germany is said to be willing to make peace:

A minimum indemnity of \$4,015,000,000.

Restoration of Germany's colonies by England.

Separation of Poland from Russia and its institution into a separate state.

Evacuation of Belgium and France by Germany.

Part of the indemnity would represent a transfer to Germany of Russia's indebtedness to France.

Another section would be repaid by an annual payment to Germany by Belgium of an amount equal to the sum hitherto expended by Belgium upon her military establishment.

The article states that Germany would insist upon maintaining a garrison in Belgium to insure the payment of that country's share of the indemnity.

The fact that the German censor allowed the publication of the terms and the closeness of the relations between the news agency and the German government are regarded as significant.

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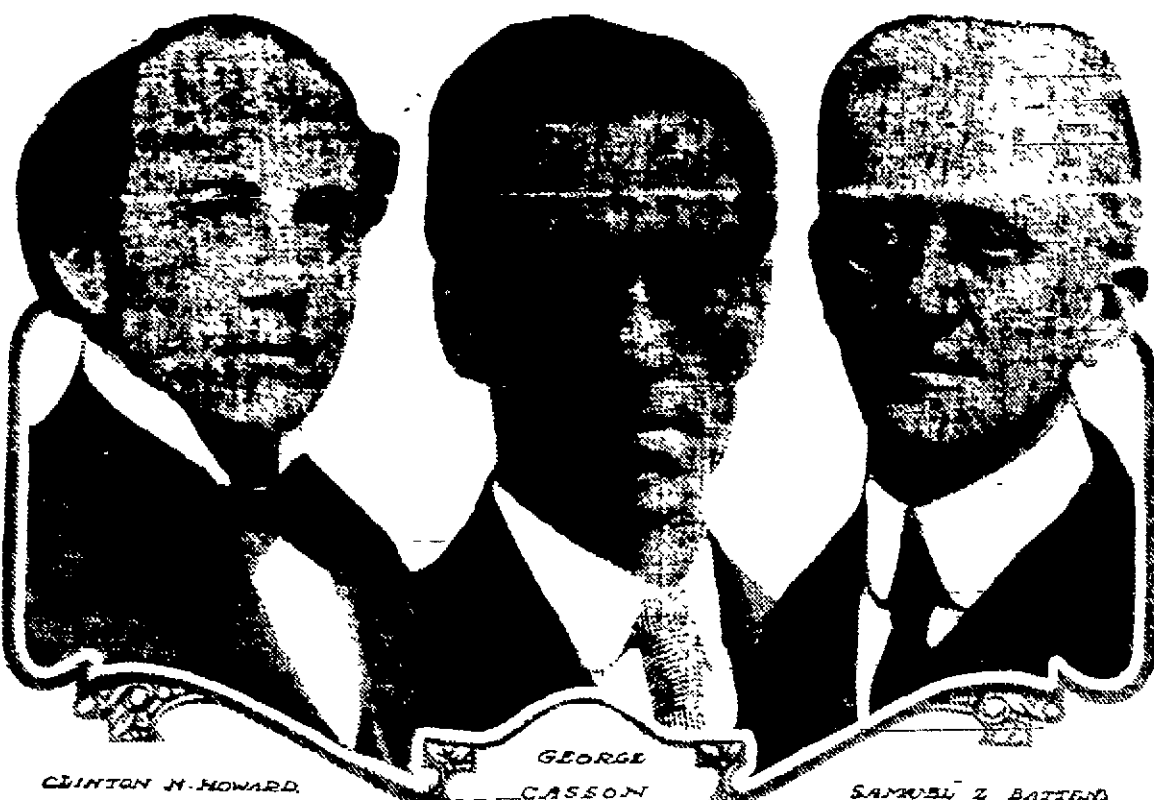
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EVANGELISTS IN BIG MEETING IN CHICAGO.

Left to right: Clinton N. Howard, George Casson and Samuel Z. Batten.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—More than 150 prominent evangelists are assembled here for the first school of Civic Evangelists, now being at the Moody Institute under the auspices of the Interdenominational Association of Evangelists. The sessions will continue until Dec. 31.

Among the prominent speakers are Clinton N. Howard of Rochester, New York, known as the "Little Giant," a prominent speaker on temperance; George Casson, Attorney General of Iowa and author of the Sossou laws, red-light injunction law and removal laws, and Samuel Z. Batten, chairman of the Baptist Social Service Commission.

OHIO HIT HARD BY THE STORM

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 29.—Rain, sleet and snow, driven by a thirty-miles an hour gale raged throughout Ohio during the night, crippling telephone, telegraph and railroad traffic. The American Telephone and Telegraph Company reported a number of poles down in the center of the state and in other parts the wires, after becoming "laden" with ice, were blown from the poles.

The Western Union Telegraph Company reported a number of poles down in Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis and St. Louis.

Street car schedules were fairly well maintained but pedestrians found it extremely hard to make progress along the icy walks and in the face of the swirling, wind-driven sleet and snow.

Late in the morning, the wind subsided and a heavy snow continued to fall.

After bitterly scoring "emotional philanthropists to whom thinking is a distasteful form of mental exercise," Col. Roosevelt declares that it is questionable whether men and women "who are delighted to pass resolutions in favor of anything with a lofty name are more desirable as a national type than the men who are guilty of the downright iniquities of life, for the latter at least have in them the element of strength which, if guided aright, could be used to good purpose."

Touching on the subject of disarmament, Col. Roosevelt said:

"The task of getting all the pacifists, the college professors, the businessmen and mechanics, and also all the professional crooks in New York to abandon the reign of force and to live together in harmony would undoubtedly be much easier than to secure a similar working agreement among the various people of Europe, America, Asia and Africa. Discussion of the abolition of war will not have even academic value until a method of right living is discovered at home which will spread so that the police force of New York and Chicago can be abolished."

The essential thing to be borne in mind regarding militarism, the colonel said, "is to be sure that one kind of militarism is not allowed to get a foothold—the military dominion of an alien enemy."

The colonel declared that "nothing is gained by debate on non-debatable subjects," and flattened out the pacifists with the statement that "at present, in this world, and for the immediate future, it is certain that the only way successfully to oppose the might which is the servant of wrong is by means of the might which is the servant of right."

"No intelligent man desires war," Col. Roosevelt concluded. "But no intelligent man who is willing to think can fail to realize that we live in a great and free country only because our forefathers were willing to wage war rather than accept the peace that spells destruction."

The establishment of a general court of arbitration in America was predicted by Senator Benito J. Cardozo, of New York. This court would serve as a pattern for eventual similar courts in Europe and elsewhere, he said.

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LAST STORM COST THE CITY \$4,000

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The freaky weather of the past few days finally settled down to an old-fashioned snow storm which started falling about 8 o'clock this morning and by noon at least an inch had fallen with no indication of the storm abating. Tuesday was marked by a rain and snow fall which made walking difficult, owing to the amount of slush on the sidewalks, but the storm cleared off at night fall and during the night the weather turned off cold, with the result that the sidewalks were covered with ice, making walking somewhat dangerous.

If the snow continued falling throughout the day the indications were that the street department would find another job on its hands of removing the snow from the city streets. The big storm of a week ago Monday caused Street Superintendent Van Keuren to put a force of over three hundred men at work clearing the principal streets. The work of snow removal was aided by the rain and thaw that followed and while the figures have not yet been compiled it is estimated that the cost of removing the snow that fell during the big storm was in the neighborhood of \$4,000.

In order to keep trolley traffic from being blocked the trolley road had the snow plow out this morning clearing away the snow that had fallen on the tracks. Kingston was fortunate during the last storm as the trolley road while somewhat delayed still kept its cars running, due to the fact that while the storm was in progress trolley cars were run all night to keep the tracks open. In Poughkeepsie and Newburgh the trolley roads were tied up for several days.

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PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Lillian Elsworth of Kingston spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Emma Terpening, on Broadway.

Mrs. S. W. Perrine of Broadway is ill of grip. Dr. G. W. Ross is the attending physician.

Mrs. Wallace Mabie, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Townsend in Poughkeepsie, returned to her home on Green street Tuesday.

Esopus Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in their rooms in Hudson's Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Crane entertained at dinner the following at their home in Sloightsburgh Sunday: Mrs. Herman Tappen and Mrs. Charles Rockwell.

The town board met at the town clerk's office on Green street Tuesday.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton in Sloightsburgh Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brannigan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brannigan of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannigan and family of Saugerties, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brannigan and sons of Jersey City. A sumptuous dinner was served at 5:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ouslow, who have been the guests of relatives here for a few days, returned to their home in Linden, N. J., Tuesday.

LACKAWACK.

Lackawack, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Plunket and family came up to spend Christmas with Mrs. Plunket's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Morse, also Mr. and Mrs. George Goselin.

Mr. Lewis of Shokan came up to spend Christmas at James D. Sheils', also Malon Wright.

A little daughter arrived at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eck's. Mother and daughter doing nicely. Mrs. Eck's mother is caring for her with her house duties.

Frank Osterhout and daughter visited at Mrs. Eck's Sunday.

Raymond, Herman and Lewis Simpson spent Christmas with friends in Liberty.

Randal Hornbeck arrived in town Saturday.

Mr. Mackentire and Fred Sheeley traded horses last week. This makes the third time Mr. Mackentire has traded horses.

Our mail sleigh has been well loaded with mail the past week and has well earned the money.

It looks a shame to see lime teams on the road on Christmas morning, a day that should be respected as well as Sunday.

Rud Davis has been helping Mr. Mackentire in the postoffice through Christmas week.

Charles Bryers is in the rabbit business. Charles is a busy fellow.

Mrs. Eddie Bliss gave the school children a sleigh ride party Friday, which the children enjoyed very much. Mrs. Bliss is a good friend to the little children.

Agustus Stangel is sick.

Herbert Phillips is sawing wood for Mr. Mackentire.

Lewis Simpson and Raymond Herman report snow banks four feet deep on their way home from Liberty.

Someone's dog killed one of Charles Bryers' rabbits. Looks like bad luck.

The Messers, Eck's and Osterhout's chimneys burnt out Monday.

Fred Eck is cutting wood for his brother in Shokan.

Jake Rippert was on his usual route Monday.

NEW HURLEY.

New Hurley, Dec. 29.—Eli Mackey made a business trip to Beacon on Monday.

Watson Gregg had the misfortune to lose a good horse last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sutton and daughter were in New Paltz on Friday of last week.

Gordon LePere, who is attending school at Morrisville, N. Y., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powell over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Mackey and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Mackey's parents at Jenkintown.

Mrs. Charles and Marie Van Wyck entertained the T. L. B. Club and their friends on Monday evening, December 27, at their home in this place. All who were present spent a very enjoyable evening.

Mabel, George and Daniel Schoonmaker were at their home for the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallock Sutton entertained relatives on Christmas day.

Oliver Gregg, Sr., of Virginia and son, Oliver, of Pennsylvania, are spending their holiday vacation at the Gregg farm.

The Circle met with Miss Myrtle Gale at Sherwood's Corners on Thursday evening, December 23, and was

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in charge of our new president, Gerow Wilkin, who conducted the meeting in a very capable manner. It was decided to give another play for the benefit of the church some time during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenkins and little son of Clintondale were guests at Mrs. Jenkins's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Schoonmaker, recently.

MARBLETOWN.

Marbletown, Dec. 29.—Miss Ella Barnard visited Kingston one day the past week.

Mr. Lasher of Bearsville spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Sahler of Stone Ridge, also called on friends in this place.

The many friends of Mrs. Charles Markle of Lomontville are sorry to hear of her illness.

Miss Emma Van Etten visited Mrs. DeWitt Cole on Christmas Day. Judge and Mrs. Myer entertained their daughters and sons and families on Christmas Day.

Charles Schipp was in Rock Hill Monday on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hotelling entertained a number of relatives at their home on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. David Freer of Rifton spent Christmas with friends here.

A number of farmers from this place attended the Milk Producers' Association meeting held in Kingston the past Thursday.

Harry Hotelling of New Jersey spent Christmas with relatives at Lomontville.

WILLOW.

Willow, Dec. 29.—The people of this village were very much surprised when they woke up to find one of the most severe snow and wind storms that ever visited this town. Houses were unroofed, barns and ice houses blown down and trees and fences scattered all around. Our oldest inhabitants say they never saw anything like it.

M. F. Hoyt has been spending his holiday vacation with his sister, Mrs. A. Reynolds, at Shady.

Herbert Lane and Ira B. Elghmer went over to Lake Hill for a sleigh ride Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Berry spent Christmas at Loveland farm with Mrs. Berry's mother.

Miss Elizabeth DeVall, formerly of this village but now of Prattsville, spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Ellen DeVall, at Loveland farm.

Elmer Wilbur and family spent Christmas with Mr. Wilbur's mother at Mink Hollow.

John Humphrey was a pleasant caller at Loveland farm on Friday.

Miss Lillie Berry has been visiting her brother, George, at Boiceville for a few days.

PALENTOWN.

Palentown, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Homer Traver has returned home after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Shurter, in Samsonville.

The wind storm did some damage to some buildings by blowing them off their foundations and blowing off the roofs.

Orme Lee has a sick cow. We hope he will not have the bad luck to lose her.

Robert Dymond is ill.

John Traver is spending some time with Elting Boesmer and family in Mombacuss.

Mrs. Mary Brannen attended the meeting at Mrs. Morehouse's in Mombacuss Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Shurter are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby girl; born December 20. Both mother and child are doing well.

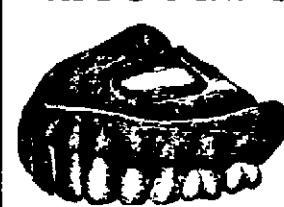
School is closed for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Palen called on Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Shurter in Samsonville Christmas day.

Roy Van and Everett Brannen called on John Traver Tuesday last.

Poughkeepsie to Have Auto Show. One of the leading events of the winter in Poughkeepsie will be the Poughkeepsie automobile show, which is to be held at the armory, February 2, 3, 4 and 5.

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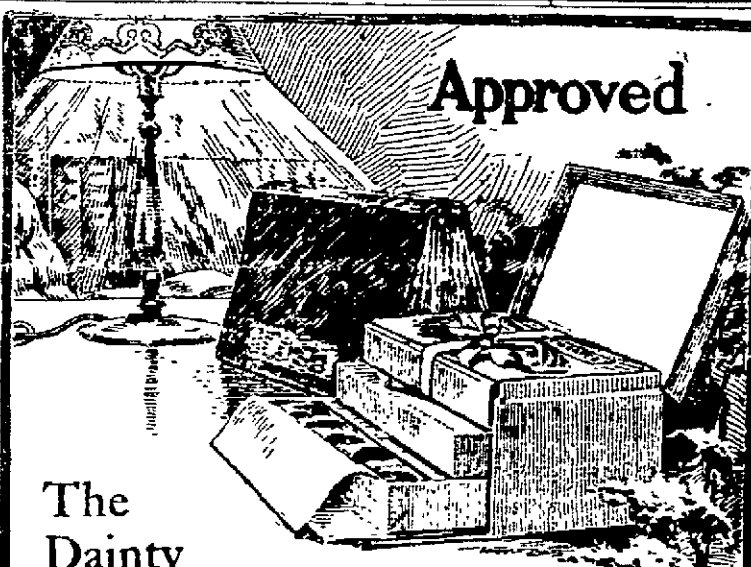
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Interest will be paid on all sums from \$5 to \$2,000.

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SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Dec. 29.—The newly elected officers of J. R. Tappen Post, No. 215, G. A. R., are: D. Y. Smith, commander; Chauncey Myer, senior vice commander; George Freligh, junior vice commander; Paul Snyder, adjutant; A. A. Post, officer of the day; Patrick Gagen, surgeon; Henry Teitler, chaplain; Jacob Arold, outside guard. Next Monday evening the officers will be duly installed by Major James H. Everett of Kingston.

The Saugerties baseball club will hold a social dance in Columbus Hall on New Year's eve.

Word has been received here stating that Jacob Shultis, a former resident of Saugerties, had been seriously injured in an automobile factory in Detroit, Michigan.

Among the contributors to the American Jewish Relief Committee appears the name L. J. Butzel, \$25.

The officers of R. A. Snyder Hose Co. will hold an important meeting in their rooms this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wynne and son of Brooklyn are spending the week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Palmer of Ulster avenue are home from Schenectady, where they spent the past few days.

Miss Edna Martin is ill at her home on Hill street.

Howard Erbler is confined to his home on Barclay Heights suffering with tonsillitis.

Installation of officers will occur in Ulster Lodge, No. 193, F. & A. M., on Wednesday evening, January 5.

The funeral of the late Charles Stevens will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence.

Dr. Luther Emerick is ill with grip.

Confidence Lodge, No. 51, I. O. O. F., has elected the following as officers: Harold Brooks, N. G.; John Burnett, V. G.; William MacFarland, secretary; William J. Field, treasurer; Albert Teetsel, financial secretary; Charles Lamb, trustee.

Rondout A. C. vs. Holy Cross.

Tonight there will be a basketball game at the Holy Cross parish house between the Holy Cross Five and the Rondout A. C. The Pine Grove avenue representatives have won eight out of twelve games so far this season, and three of the four games lost were by one point. This shows that the Pioneer team are equal to any amateur team in the city. Dancing will follow the contest. Music by S. Miller and Allen.

First Dutch C. E. Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Reformed Church will be held on Tuesday evening, January 4, at the home of Miss Ellen Van Slyke, "Rockhurst," Marius street. In case of a very severe snow storm at that time the meeting will be held at the home of Frederick Snyder, 315 Washington avenue.

Cooking Cuckoo.
How many cuckoos could a good cook cook if a good cook could cook cuckoos?

KINDNESS APPRECIATED.

Recipient of Sunshine Society Chosen Writes Grateful Letter.

The following letter of appreciation was received by Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie, as president of the Sunshine Society. The letter, written by one whom the Sunshine Society has helped, speaks for itself:

Kingston, N. Y.
Mrs. Gillespie.
Dear Friend:—Another year is closing; a year in which you have been a bright gleam of sunshine to myself and children. I cannot express my thankfulness and appreciation for the help you have given or the work you have procured for me through your splendid recommendations. Through your kindness we have had a very happy Christmas. I offer you my sincere thanks and best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

Yours respectfully,
Mrs. Gillespie and the Sunshine Society would at this time thank an who so kindly assisted in any way in making the Christmas baskets for the shut-ins the success they were, and assure all donors that their gifts were most heartily appreciated.



PITTSBURGH'S NEW MANAGER
A BORN LEADER.

Jimmy Callahan, the new manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, is one of the few born leaders in baseball and has already made a hit with the fans in the Smoky City. And all this before the start of the season. One of Callahan's first acts as manager was to appoint Honus Wagner captain of the team. Wagner is the idol of the Pittsburgh fans and many of them wanted to see him in Fred Clarke's shoes, but it is said that Wagner did not care to take the responsibility incident to a managership.

Callahan is a good business manager as well as a handler of men and has the knack of drawing out the best in the ability of the men under him.

LANESVILLE.

Lanesville, Dec. 29.—Bessie Curtis of Newark, N. J., is visiting relatives here.

Addison Jones, who works for the New York Telephone Co., spent Christmas with his sweetheart, John Daly, proprietor of Lanesville Hotel, who has been spending a couple of weeks in New York, returned home Saturday.

The Misses Hazel and Elma Barber of Tannersville spent Sunday with relatives here.

Boris Van and family of Spruce-ton spent Christmas with his brother-in-law, Cal Jansen.

H. D. Lane and Hugh Robinson were Phoenicia callers Tuesday.

Brooks Curtis of Bushnellville spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Curtis.

Harry Crosby of Staten Island is spending the holidays with his father, Asa Crosby.

H. K. Robinson, who is clerking for H. Villong of Kingston, came home sick on Thursday last. We are glad to say that he is much better and will return to his work tomorrow.

John, Jr., and Ella Daly, who are attending school at Corona, N. Y., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Daly.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lane spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. G. E. Barber, at Tannersville.

Mrs. George Ruoff, who has been suffering from a severe cold, is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jansen and son, also Dick Curtis spent Christmas at Spruce-ton.

Mrs. A. A. Crosby spent Christmas with her father at Hensonville.

Mrs. J. Dolan, who has been very ill, is slowly improving.

Mary Lane of Poughkeepsie is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lane.

F. A. Barber spent Christmas with relatives in Hunter.

The Misses Marion and Elsie Lane enjoyed a sleigh ride to Phoenicia Monday afternoon.

Roger Short, who is teaching school in Chelsea, spent Christmas with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsley are visiting friends at Highland.

Harry Neal of Phoenicia spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. D. Crosby.

Miss Helen Hays is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. S. Lindsley spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lane.

Police Pay Raised.

The salaries of the chief of police and the sergeant of police of Middletown have been increased \$100 each, and all of the patrolmen have been granted increases in accordance with the length of their service at the meeting of the common council of that city held on Monday evening. The increase goes into effect the first of the year when the chief will receive \$1,400 and the sergeant \$1,100. A first year officer will receive \$550, second year \$580, third year \$590 and fourth year officer \$1,050.

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Ladies and Misses Coats, all colors and mixtures, some over plaids, zibelines and tweeds. Sale Price 7.69

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Ladies and Misses Coats in mixtures, overplaids and solid colors. Sale Price 9.69

Rack 5, Value to 16.00

Ladies and Misses Colored and Black Coats, excellent materials, corduroys, zibelines, mixed tweed and overchecks. Sale Price 11.69

Children's Coats, sizes 2 to 6 yrs., values \$2.59, materials are white and colored corduroys, zebaline, overchecks. Sale Price 1.97

Rack 6

Ladies Suits, values up to \$11.00, medium colors, only a few mostly small sizes. Sale Price 5.69

Rack 7

Ladies Suits, value up to \$12.00, medium and dark colors, only a few. Sale Price 7.69

Children's Coats, 2 to 6 yrs., values up to \$4.47 in white, boucles, elder-downs, corduroys and colored zibelines, mixtures and boucles. Sale Price 3.39

Rack 8, Value to 13.97

Misses and Ladies Suits, medium and dark colors. Sale Price 9.69

Rack 9

Ladies and Misses Suits, fur trimmed, others of velvet and braid, every one a bargain. Sale Price 10.69

Rack 10

Ladies and Misses Suits, mostly dark colors, green, navies, browns, blacks. Sale Price 11.69

Ladies Top Skirts in corduroys, mixtures and serges, value up to \$3.00. Sale Price 1.97

Rack of Ladies Skirts, value up to \$5.97 in serges, mixtures and poplins. Sale Price 2.69

Rack of Ladies Kimonos in crepes, figures and plain and figured flannelettes, values up to 1.25

Table of Ladies Shirt Waists, value \$1.25, white voiles, batiste, hardly two stripes of a kind, this lot, your choice 69c

Ladies Waists, value \$1.25, voiles, piques, sico, madras and lawns, sizes 34 to 50. Sale Price 97c

Ladies Tub Silk Waists, values 2.59 stripes and solid colors. Sale Price 1.97

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Stew Lamb, 3 lbs. 25c
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Fancy Apples, pk. 25c
Large Head Lettuce, 10c
Celery Heart, bunch 10c
Mixed Nuts, lb. 15c
Walnuts, 2 qts. 15c
Cranberries, qt. 10c
Spinach, pk. 20c
Creamery Butter, lb. 30c
Lard, lb. 10c
Fresh Eggs, doz. 32c
Cabbage, head 5c, 6c
Sweet Potatoes, qt. 8c
Red Onions, 3 qts. 10c
7 Large Grape Fruit, 25c
18 Large Oranges, 25c
Fancy Lemons, doz. 24c
Raisins, 3 pkgs. 25c
Mince Meat, 3 25c
Dates, 3 pkgs. 25c
Buckwheat Flour, 3 25c
Potatoes, pk. 30c

SIXTY APPLY FOR SENATE HOUSE JOB

Miss Westbrook Appointed Temporary Custodian—Why Coming Examination for Women Only—Present Custodian Born in Senate House.

Miss Kate E. Westbrook, daughter of the late Colonel Cornelius D. Westbrook, and niece of the late Judge Theodor R. Westbrook and of the late Hon. Marius Schoonmaker, has been appointed temporary custodian of the old Senate House on the recommendation of the board of trustees of the Senate House Association.

When Benjamin M. Brink, who also was appointed custodian on the recommendation of the trustees after having passed the civil service examination, died, the trustees requested the superintendent of public buildings to appoint from the eligible list one of the two residents of Ulster county who had passed the civil service examination at the time Mr. Brink died, but were lower down on the eligible list. These were Levi Elmendorf and Harvey D. Peters. The state civil service commission replied that there were five candidates on the eligible list, the first three of whom did not live in Ulster county, and that they would appoint one of the first three.

To this, Judge Clearwater, acting president of the board of trustees since the death of S. D. Coykendall, entered an emphatic protest and requested the civil service commission to order a new examination open to women only, as the law forbade a new examination open to men so long as there were five candidates on the eligible list. After a lengthy and somewhat spirited correspondence, the commission assented to this and thereupon the trustees of the association met at Judge Clearwater's office and recommended Miss Westbrook as temporary custodian, a recommendation which the civil service commission and the superintendent of public buildings accepted.

At the meeting of the board of trustees of the Senate House Association, it was decided to fill the vacancy in the board of directors created by the death of Mr. Coykendall. Hon. William Lounsbury, John S. Bray, Benjamin M. Brink, Charles Burthans and Henry D. Carroll, and accordingly Edward Carroll, Judge Haskbrouck, Admiral Higginson, Charles L. Freer, James O. Winston and Frederick E. W. Darrow were chosen. Judge Clearwater was elected president, Judge Betts, vice president, and Frederick E. W. Darrow, was elected secretary and treasurer to succeed his father.

The civil service commission at the request of the trustees have ordered a new examination, which will be held in this city on January 22, on which date a state examination for other positions in the state service will also be held. The examination will be for women only. It is understood that sixty applications have already been filed by women who desire to take the examination.

The trustees of the association will neither individually nor as a body make any recommendation for permanent custodian until after the examination has been held and it will be useless to apply to them to do so. They have received numerous requests to make such a recommendation, every one of which has been and will be declined.

It is understood that Miss Westbrook will have the endorsement of the Colonial Dames and of the Daughters of the American Revolution in every way and by a sort of poetic coincidence was born in the Senate House, which at one time belonged to her grandfather, the Rev. Dr. Cornelius D. Westbrook, and subsequently to her uncle, Frederick E. Westbrook, who sold it to the state. The trustees of the Senate House Association have the exclusive control of the objects deposited in the building and of the direction of its conduct. The title to the property itself is vested in the state and the control of the building and the responsibility of its maintenance rests with the superintendent of public buildings, whose office is in Albany. The salary of the permanent custodian is \$300 a year. The state heats and lights the building.

ROSENDALE.

Rosendale, Dec. 29.—Claude Enlist of Rifton was a guest of the Rev. James Cameron on Tuesday.

Miss Helen R. White left for Rochester City on Saturday to spend the week with her sister.

Miss Caroline G. Anderson returned from Poughkeepsie.

Miss Annie Miller of Kingston was a week end visitor to this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ten Hagen of New Paltz and Harry Ten Hagen of Poughkeepsie spent Christmas with their father, J. H. Ten Hagen, of this village.

Isaac Carman, who has been a great sufferer from cancer of the stomach for a long time, died on Sunday morning at Dr. Sahler's Sanitarium. His remains were brought to his home in this village on Monday. The funeral was held from his late residence on Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Joseph Milliet of Tillson conducted the service. He leaves a widow and three sons to mourn his loss. The burial was in Plains cemetery.

All Saints' Christmas exercises were held Tuesday afternoon, December 28. The children of the Sunday school were all remembered.

William E. Bryan visited Kingston on Tuesday.

Martin McHugh has opened a tin shop over the L. F. Bannan's store in this village.

Miss Anna Gallagher of New York visited her mother the past week.

Mrs. Rufus Snyder had a family gathering on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Howard Stearns continues to

slowly improve from her long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ten Hagen spent Christmas with relatives in Kingston.

Mrs. Andrew Smith, Sr. had a family gathering on Christmas.

Samuel Van Tassel returned to Cornwall on Monday.

Walter Bodley, who works in Poughkeepsie, spent the week end with his parents.

The sisters of Father Eagan from New York City spent the past week at St. Peter's rectory.

Miss Gussie Olry of Brooklyn spent Christmas with her parents in this village.

Frank Cronk and family are nearly settled in their new home in this village.

Emmy Lewis and family spent Christmas at Walden with his sister, Mrs. Jason Connors.

Mrs. Kate O'Neil, who has been visiting her son, Richard, and family, the past two weeks, has returned to Montgomery.

Mrs. Lockwood Hasbrouck of New York City is visiting her mother Mrs. Aaron DuBois, at Lawrenceville.

Dory Osterhoudt had a sick horse the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Freer returned from New Paltz on Monday, where they had been guests of their daughter, Mrs. Alvah Minard, over Christmas.

Mrs. John Olry went to New York on Sunday to spend a few days with her children.

There was a number of city people at "The Stanhope" over Christmas.

Levi Lovett, who has made his home with James Beach and family for a number of years, died on Thursday last and the funeral was held from All Saints' Church on Sunday afternoon. The Rev. James Cameron had charge of the services.

Miss Sarah Carma of Gloversville was here to attend the funeral of her brother, Isaac Carman. She also spent a few days with her niece, Mrs. Charles Ten Hagen.

The Rev. Theodore A. Beekman has returned from New Jersey, where he spent Christmas.

Otto Houst of Kingston is wiring the Dun-Nett building for electric lights.

There was a large attendance at the mid-night mass in St. Peter's Church on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons and Miss Helen spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hartford Davis at Montgomery.

James Mullany left on Monday for Vermont to spend a few days with his father.

Jesse Bowen and family of Beacon City were visitors in this village over Christmas.

ST. REMY.

St. Remy, Dec. 29.—The district school is closed for the holidays. John Krom was home on Sunday.

Alvan Rothenberg and son, Chester, spent Christmas with Mary Agnew and family.

Charles Schwab of Rondout and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Freer of New Salem were guests of Charles Schultz and family Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krom were the guests of Clarence Freer and family Christmas.

John Roosa had a sick horse last week but it has recovered.

Leroy, Fred and Abram DeGraff of Oyster Bay were guests of Henry and Serena DeGraff last Wednesday and Thursday.

There is good sleighing at present and many are taking advantage of it by getting out logs and firewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Planck spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Vining at New Salem.

Mrs. Schuyler Dero has gone to New York City for a few days.

Simon Van Vliet is ill.

Chester Wells and son, George, have finished work on their boat and are home for the winter.

A Sign of Prosperity.

Large numbers of travelling salesmen are canvassing the city this week. This early arrival of drummers predicts a good season for trade because they usually arrive in town about the middle of January.

On account of the prospects of a good year they have started early on their rounds, earlier, in fact, than local merchants have experienced in a long while.

The usual slump in business after Christmas gives the tradespeople opportunity of taking inventory and they are busily engaged in this occupation, besides ordering next season's supply from the drummers.

Stegmaier's Appeal.

County Judge Jenkins Tuesday reserved decision in the case of The People of New York ex rel Jacob Stegmaier vs. Joseph Farinella.

The action was an appeal from the decision of Police Justice Henry McKee of the town of Esopus. N. Frank O'Dell appeared for Farinella and Frederick Stephan for The People. Judge Jenkins ordered that the briefs be filed within a week.

Justice McKee fined the defendant \$10 when he was brought before him.

Christmas Cantata.

Mauder's Christmas cantata, "Bethlehem," will be sung at the vesper service at the First Dutch Church on Sunday afternoon under the direction of W. Whiting Fredeburgh, organist and choirmaster of the church. The soloists will be Miss Molyneux, soprano; Herman LaTour, tenor; Chauncey Main, baritone; Frank Taylor, basso. "Bethlehem" is one of the leading Christmas cantatas by modern composers.

More Pay for Porters.

Wage increases totaling \$500,000 annually will be a New Year's gift of the Pullman Company to its conductors, porters and certain other employees. Approximately 9,000 of the 27,000 employees of the Pullman Company will find their pay checks boosted beginning January 1.

Forward, Rather.

Two of a class of "backward boys" in a New York school caught and held the pretty nineteen-year-old school teacher and kissed her. Backward in the three R's, no doubt, but not otherwise.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

RUDOLPH WYNKOOP NOT A WOMAN

Sensational Fake in New York News-papers is Utterly Untrue and Rel-atives of the Deceased are In-dignant.

An attempt to perpetrate a sen-sational fake was made in Brooklyn on Sunday in connection with the sudden death from apoplexy of Rudolph Wynkoop, a negro waiter who formerly lived in Kingston, whom it was stated was a woman who for four years had successfully mas-queraded as a man.

Rudolph, or "Rudie," as he was familiarly called in Kingston, formerly was employed as a waiter at The Mitchell House, the Hotel Ulster and also at the Kingston Hotel. About five years ago he went to Brooklyn, and was employed as waiter in a restaurant con-ducted by Mrs. A. E. Markle at No. 3 South Portland avenue. He was 37 years old. Death was due to ap-oplexy. He was seized with the at-tack while on the street and in fall-ing his face struck the sidewalk, causing a bruise under the right eye.

The Brooklyn Eagle, which among other newspapers fell a victim to the fake, said on Monday regarding the case: "It was not until Coroner's Physician Tong was called in to perform the autopsy that her secret was discovered. Nothing was known of her former home or rel-atives by the frequenters of the place. She mixed freely with the men patrons. Today someone called at the coroner's office and proffered the information that the woman had two sisters living in Kingston. The police are trying to locate the sisters. The woman is described as having excellent skin, fine hair, and was rather full chested."

"Rudie" was in popular demand for a number of years in Kingston as a performer in cake walks. He weighed about ninety pounds, was hollow chested and had the kinky hair characteristic of his race.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. John Clark of this city and Mrs. Levan Crispell of Shokan, and other relatives. All his relatives are indignant at the statement re-garding his sex, having been con-cealed and that he masqueraded as a man.

The remains were brought to this city and taken in charge by Under-taker W. Norman Conner, from whose undertaking parlors the funeral was held this afternoon at three o'clock, the service being con-ducted by the Rev. Mr. Matthews, pastor of the Franklin Street A. M. E. Zion Church. The interment was in Mount Zion cemetery.

OUR NAVEL ORANGES.

We Got Them From Brazil, Where They Were First Cultivated.

The navel orange first appeared at Bahia, Brazil, as a bud sport of the Portuguese variety of orange, Laranja selecta, and was first propagated by a Portuguese gardener at Bahia in 1822.

These statements and those that fol-low are made on the authority of A. D. Shamel, physiologist of the United States department of agriculture, Riverside, Cal., who tells in the Journal of Heredity the results of an expedi-tion to Brazil made by himself, P. H. Dorsett and Wilson Popenoe.

There are about 50,000 trees growing navel oranges at Bahia.

The navel orange was introduced into the United States in 1873 by Wil-liam Saunders, horticulturist and land-scape gardener of the patent office.

He got the American consul to send him some of the trees, which he bud-ded on seedlings grown in the govern-ment greenhouses. He sent two to Mrs. L. C. Tibbets of Riverside, Cal., and the others to Florida. The latter never thrived and are still living and bearing fruit. All the navel orange trees in California are their progeny.

There are about 100,000 acres of this variety in that state, and about 10,000,000 boxes are produced every year.

The navel orange cannot be grown from seed, as it contains no seed. It is in California generally budded upon stocks from the Mission sweet seedling orange.

Tireless Camels.

An eastern legend has it that the camel was fashioned last by the Creator, and so it is held in very high esteem by the people of the east. Al-though somewhat unsightly and per-haps had tempered animal, the camel is an untiring worker. He will travel on for hour after hour without ap-pear-ing distressed in any way and on this account has made a good name for himself.—London Answers.

Finance.

"Hello, Bilkins. How well you look! All your worries gone up in smoke?" said Silthers jocosely.

"Yes, Silthers," said Bilkins. "I've got a great load off my mind. I've just been able to borrow enough money to pay off all my debts."—New York Times.

Cutting Combs.

Combs are always cut out in pairs. The spaces left between the teeth of one comb serve to form the teeth of the other, so that in shaping one comb two are really made.

Suspicious.

Friend—So this is one of your jokes, is it? Ha, ha, ha! Humorist (testily). "Well, what are you laughing at, any-how? Isn't it a good one?"—Passing Show.

What Might Happen.

He—Yes, I am still single. She—But you intend to marry some day, do you not? He—I do unless some woman changes my mind.—Judge.

The Unarmed Pirate

How She Plundered Was a Mystery.

By F. A. MITCHEL

Lieutenant Wickersham, in command of the United States gunboat Zac Taylor, cruising in the Malay archipelago, received a wireless order from the admiral to look out for a pirate vessel that had been doing a lot of damage to shipping in the South China sea. No well defined location for the pirate was given, since it was not known. Probably the order was sent to every United States vessel cruising in that region.

The second day after receipt of the order the watch on the Taylor reported to the officer of the deck that a ship was to be seen on the starboard quarter. She was changing her course very frequently. She did not look at all like a pirate, but on account of her mysterious actions the watch thought it its duty to report her.

The commander of the Taylor ordered the ship's course changed toward the vessel in question. No sooner had this been done than the other exhibited a clean pair of heels, evidently in flight. When the gunboat came close enough to the fugitive to discern what she was like Wickersham was surprised to see a very ordinary looking vessel, as unlike a pirate as possible.

There were no ports for guns or any other evidence of a capacity for fighting. About dusk the stranger ran close into shore. She was still too far for those on the gunboat to see what was doing on board of her, but since the anchor chains could be heard rattling in the hawse pipes Wickersham did not give himself any uneasiness as to her getting away from him.

By the time the Taylor had come near the vessel night had fallen, and since the latter craft showed no light the gunboat felt obliged to stand off. However, Wickersham, suspecting that she might escape him under cover of the darkness, sent a boat in command of Ensign Throckmorton to reconnoiter. The party was gone an hour. When it returned Throckmorton made a very singular report.

He had found the vessel deserted. On her were all sorts of plunder, showing that she was undoubtedly a pirate. There was no cargo unless about a thousand barrels of oil might be considered such, but it seemed rather that this might have been for fuel. And yet the furnace was constructed for coal, of which there was a scant supply.

Wickersham was puzzled. Never had he heard of a pirate unarmed, un-manned, before. Nevertheless there was abundant evidence that the vessel was the one he had been ordered to look out for. The fact that she had died when he gave chase was alone sufficient to condemn her. As for her crew, they had doubtless gone ashore under cover of darkness.

It did not seem that there was any need to take further action till morning. The anchor of the pirate being on the bottom, there being no crew aboard to raise it and the shore to which they must have gone being eight or ten miles distant, the lieutenant decided to let the matter rest for the night and the next day go aboard the craft him-self and make a personal examination.

So he turned in, leaving the executive officer in charge.

When the first faint light appeared in the east the commander was awakened to be informed that the pirate had disappeared. Jumping out of his bunk, he put on a dressing gown and slippers and hurried on deck. The vessel certainly was not where she had been the night before, but the day had broken, and the man in the crew's nest reported her or a vessel very like her on the horizon. Wickersham, after bringing a glass to bear on her, pronounced her the pirate and gave orders to get up the anchor and make chase immediately.

The pirate was standing eastward along the tenth parallel of latitude, evidently making for the open sea. The gunboat managed to keep her in sight and make a small gain. During the day the lieutenant made inquiries among the crew to learn if any one had heard any sound during the night. One man said that he fancied he had heard an anchor chain being carefully slipped through a hawse pipe. He had called the attention of the officer of the deck to it, but since the officer had heard nothing himself he paid no at-tention to the man's report. Never-theless Wickersham made up his mind that the pirate had slipped her anchor and sailed away without it.

The mystery worked on the men-some of whom were ignorant and sn-pertitions, and knots were constantly gathering to discuss the strange craft, the opinion being occasionally ex-pressed that the ship was a phantom. But this did not reach the ears of the com-mander, who would have taken means to quash it.

During the day a wireless message was flashed by the admiral asking if the Taylor had seen anything of the pirate. Wickersham asked for infor-mation as to the vessel that he was or-dered to capture. The answer was that the admiral had no description of her. It had been reported that several vessels due at Chinese ports had not come in. The weather had been fine; therefore there was no suspicion that they had been wrecked by storm. It

had been reported that one Dixon, an Englishman, who was known to be a pirate, had bought a vessel at Canton, and it was supposed that he had fitted her up for piratical purposes. It looked as if he had captured the missing ves-sels and sunk them with all on board. This information did not relieve Wickersham's perplexity. If the ves-sel he was chasing was the one Dixon

had purchased, how had he been able to capture ships, plunder them and sink them without any armament? Never-theless that this had been done was evident from the valuables found on the deserted unarmed ship which was now being before the Taylor.

Toward the close of the second day of the chase the island of Formosa was sighted, and Wickersham began to fear that his prey would escape him by putting into some indentation or inlet along the Formosan coast. The com-mander of the fugitive vessel ran to within a few miles of shore, but did not put in, evidently waiting for dark in order that his pursuer might not be able to see him when he left the open water. However, reaching a conven-ient point for hiding, he ran into it while there was still sufficient light for Wickersham to see him.

The fact of his doing so set the lieuten-ant thinking. Might she not have paused in her flight, when she could have kept on, for a purpose? The fact that so many vessels had disappeared suggested that the pirate had some newfangled device for wrecking them. Might she not come out during the night and practice it on the Taylor?

As soon as it was dark, taking a po-sition off where the pirate had put in, Wickersham dropped his anchor and ordered every light on the ship put out. He would not even permit a lamp to be left burning, though covered. He resolved to remain awake during the night, ready for any emergency.

However, about midnight, becoming drowsy, he went to sleep in a ham-mock, having given orders to be called should anything unusual occur. About 2 o'clock he was awakened and told that voices had been heard near the gunboat. Springing up, he went on deck and listened. His hearing was very acute, and he was sure that he heard a sound of oars which had been imperfectly muffled. He ordered a gun to be loaded on each of the four quarters, ready to be fired. Some of his subordinates wondered what he expected to shoot at, while the more superstitious of the crew began to fear that there was something supernatural about.

But the lieutenant ordered every man to keep perfectly silent and re-mained on watch himself. When the first ray of light came he descried a boat pulling directly toward the Tay-lor. It was a mile away, and a cable's length behind it the water seemed disturbed, as though some obstacle was moving through it. Then sudden-ly the lieutenant rushed to the gun that pointed toward the coming boat and stood with the lanyard in his hand, peering into the breaking dark-ness. Others on the deck were able to descry the moving boat, but not the object disturbing the water behind it.

Nevertheless in a few minutes all could see something that caused a cold chill to run down their spines. It was the periscope of a submarine. From it every eye was turned to their com-mander, who was carefully sighting the piece near which he stood. Call-ing to his next in command to come to him, without taking his eye off the periscope, he resigned the innard to him, with orders to pull it when he gave the order. With the boat came within a hundred yards of the Taylor it slowed down and began to settle in the water.

"Fire!"

There was an explosion, and the peri-scope careered, showing evidence of being wrecked, then disappeared. In a few minutes the surface of the water was covered by oil. Wickersham gave a sigh of relief, which was echoed by every man on the Taylor.

The men in the boat turned and were pulling away lustily when a well aimed shot from another gun sent her to the bottom, leaving her crew, some dead, some wounded and some unhurt, float-ing on the water.

"Man a boat!" cried Wickersham. A boat was soon pulling to the men struggling in the water. They were picked up and brought on to the Taylor. One of them was Dixon. This was his story.

He had been using the vessel he had bought to carry plunder which was secured by means of a submarine he kept with him. He would put a tor-pedo into a vessel, then while she was sinking board her and secure what valu-ables he could find. His boarding party was well armed, but seldom needed to use their weapons. After gathering the plunder he would leave the vessel and her crew to go down to-gether, taking pains that no person lived to tell the tale. Believing that the Taylor would eventually get him, Dixon had resolved to torpedo her. Unfortunately for him, the night was dark, and he was unable to find her till daylight revealed him to his intent-ed prey.

Wickersham reported the facts to the admiral, who directed him to hang the few pirates he had captured. The order was obeyed while the Taylor was making for the plunder ship, which was overhauled. The men, supposing that the Taylor would surely be torpe-dowed, took little care and did not see the gunboat until she was well on them. Then they tried to escape in boats, but were all captured and served the same punishment as the others.

The admiral's order to hang the pi-rates without trial enabled him to hush the matter up, which course he deemed advisable, and, although reported to Washington, the matter never got into the newspapers.

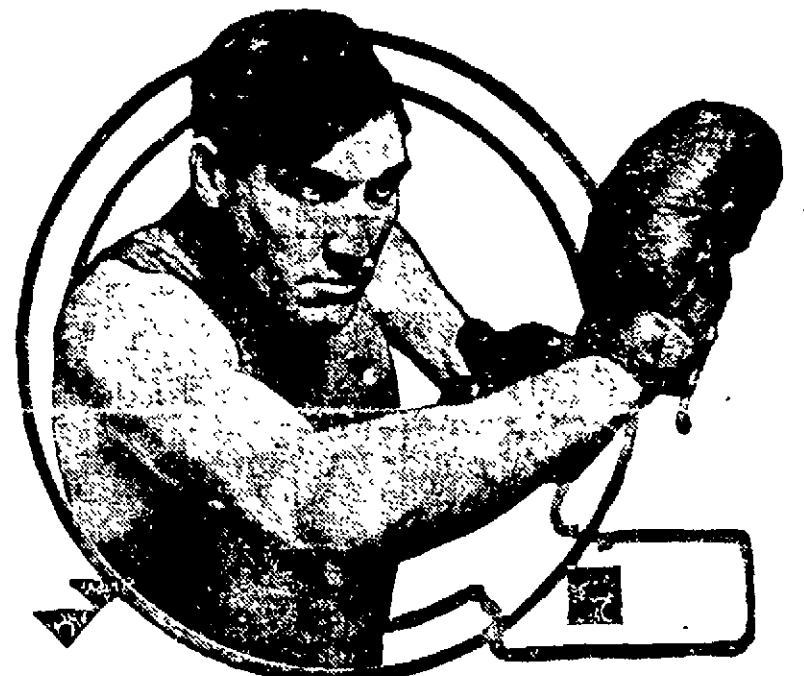
First "Push Button."

Benjamin Franklin invented the electric "push button." This was ac-complished in 1751. He "shocked" the railing in front of his Philadelphia residence, finding the idlers of the street were too fond of gathering un-der his window. This so alarmed them that they no longer gave the philoso-pher offense.

Where the Burden Lay.

"Do you have any trouble support-ing your family, Rastus?" "Ah don't, sah; but mah missus' sperences some difficulty."—Boston Transcript.

CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE IN NEW ORLEANS



Jess Willard, Heavyweight Champion.

If Jess Willard defends his heavy-weight championship in New Orleans next March, according to the terms of the contract he signed a few days ago to meet Fred Fulton, it will be the first time since Corbett knocked out Sullivan that the Crescent City has seen a title bout in this division of pugilism. The California bank clerk sent the great John L. to the floor for the final count in the twenty-first round of their great battle at New Orleans on September 7, 1892.

This contest, the first fought under Marquis of Queensbury rules, marked the passing of the heavyweight bar-kunckle gladiator and the debut of the knight of the padded mitt. Thus after a period of almost 25 years, during which fistiana has witnessed the rise and fall of Sullivan, Corbett, Fitzsimmons, Jeffries and Johnson and the rise of Willard, the Marquis of Queens-berry championship is to return to the scene of his birth.

Willard signed articles several weeks ago to meet any white fighter the promoters might name by Decem-ber 10. Efforts were made to arrange an elimination bout between Fulton and Frank Moran of Pittsburgh but, Moran refused to meet the Minnesota pugilist. Fulton previously had signed

articles to meet Willard in the event Moran refused the elimination bout. Willard's contract calls for \$32,500, win, lose or draw. Terms arranged with Fulton were not announced.

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73 FRANKLIN STREET

"Where Quality Counts"

Specials For Thursday and Friday

Store will be open Friday evening until 10 o'clock.
Open New Year's Day until 10 o'clock A. M.

Pillsbury or Duluth Imperial Flour,
24 1-2 lb. sack 85c
Pure Granulated Sugar, lb. 6 1-2c
Rosedale Pineapple, large can 15c
Campbell's Soups, 3 cans 25c
Florida Oranges, sweet and juicy, 17 for 25c
Florida Grape Fruit, 6 for 25c
Fresh, Crisp Celery Hearts, bunch 10c

DRIED FRUITS.
New California Prunes, lb. 10c
Large California Prunes, lb. 12c
Evaporated Apples, 1 lb. 10c
Evaporated Apples, 1 lb. 10c
Seeded Raisins, lb. 10c
Currants, pkg. 10c
Dates, pkg. 3 for 25c

CORN STARCH
Cream or King's, 10c size 7c

GRIDDLE CAKE FLOUR
Aunt Jenima, Gold Medal, Colonial,
Sure Rising, pkg. 3 for 25c
New Old Fashioned Buckwheat Flour,
10 lbs 35c

MIXED Cakes.
Sugar, Speed or Honey, Jumbles,
Caramel or Orange Cake, 10c
10c 3 lbs

ALASKA SALMON.
Choice Pink, can 3 for 25c
Fancy Red, Seward Brand, can 17c

CANNED VEGETABLES.
Peas, Corn, String Beans, Lima
Beans, Succotash, Pumpkin, Red
Kidney Beans, etc., can 10c; 3 cans
25c

PURE MAPLE SYRUP.
Direct From Delaware County, 1 gal.
can 1.15
Karo, can 1.15
Honey, light or dark, comb. 1.15

RICE, BARLEY, BEANS, ETC.
Our Best Rice, 4 lbs 25c
Pearl Barley, 4 lbs 25c
Pearl Tapioca, 4 lbs 25c
N. Y. State Medium Beans, lb. 8c
N. Y. State Marrow Beans, lb. 10c
Lima Beans, lb. 8c
Dried Peas, lb. 7c

CEREALS.
Shredded Wheat, pkg. 10c
Force, pkg. 10c
Multi Breakfast Food, large pkg. 12c
Ralston Breakfast Food, pkg. 9c
Holland Rusk, 3 pkgs. 25c

SOAPS.
Lenox Soap, 8 cakes 25c
Star Soap, 6 cakes 25c
Gibson's Soap, 6 cakes 25c
Babbitt's Soap, 6 cakes 25c
Pony Naphtha, 6 cakes 25c
Pony Soap, 6 cakes 25c

POPCORN, NUTS, CANDIES.
Pop Corn on ear, lb. 7c
Shelled Pop Corn, pkg. 9c, 3 for 25c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.
Fancy Cranberries, qt. 12c
Large Florida Oranges, doz. 25c
Large Lemons, doz. 25c
Large Bananas, doz. 20c
Apples, peck 25c
Carrots, Turnips, Beets, 4 qts. 10c
Red Onions, peck 25c
Spanish Onions, lb. 5c
Cabbage, head 6-10c
New Sauerkraut, qt. 6c

Our Wish--A Happy New Year to All.



MISS IDA MAY SWIFT & COUNT JAMES MINOTTO.
ANOTHER INTERNATIONAL ROMANCE.

Miss Ida May Swift, daughter of Louis F. Swift, of the noted Chicago parking firm, and her fiance Count James Minotto, photographed recently in California. Their engagement has just been announced and the wedding will take place on January 15.

Count Minotto is the son of an Italian nobleman with a large estate near Venice. At present the Count is in charge of the South American business of the Guarantee Trust Company of New York.

Stone Ridge, Dec. 29.—Work has been continued in filling in houses from the Cooper street pond.

Alphonso Craft and John Hess have gone to South Amboy, New Jersey, to seek employment.

It is expected that work will be commenced on the new Orange Hall in the near future.

Miss Thelma's visiting Miss Margaret Haddenburgh.

There was no service in any of the churches in this village on Sunday morning owing to the terrible storm of wind and snow.

Many boys and girls are spending a few days with friends in Orange county.

Mr. Satterlee served dinner to a party of twenty-six on Christmas night.

At the union service held in the Reformed Church on Sunday evening, a Christmas service of song and story

BAD HOUSING AND ITS EFFECTS

Cause of Much Disease, Poverty and Crime.

IT RAISES TAX BURDENS.

John J. Murphy, Tenement House Commissioner of New York City, Traces Evil Results of Bad Housing on Family Life and on Workers.

The three great scourges of mankind, disease, poverty and crime, are largely due to bad housing, according to John J. Murphy, New York city's tenement house commissioner, whose official task it is to study and remedy as far as possible improper housing conditions. Mr. Murphy, who is the only tenement house commissioner in the United States, attended the recent national housing conference in Minneapolis and read a paper on housing conditions, based on his investigations in several large centers of population, in which he said:

"There can be no question that the three great scourges of mankind, disease, poverty and crime, are in a large measure due to bad housing in its broadest sense. Intemperance in many of its most repugnant forms may be traced to the fact that so many citizens are obliged to live in homes in which they can take neither pride nor comfort and which make the saloon seem desirable by contrast.

"Bad housing is especially detrimental in its consequences to the children reared under its influence. In many cases the evil influences of environment can never be eradicated. The need for the erection of institutions for the blind and hospitals for the child victims of tuberculosis, spinal meningitis and other diseases of like character is greatly intensified by bad home conditions. The employee living in a house inadequately lighted and ventilated is unable to perform his task with proper energy and intelligence. Women compelled to live in such houses develop tendencies to irritability, which frequently lead to family disruption.

"Bad housing tends to increase the tax burdens of a community by requiring larger expenditures for remedial service, which might otherwise be eliminated. The lack of proper cleanliness and decency in the exterior and interior of houses tends to reduce the self respect of the occupants. Note how eagerly the family which has even slightly improved its financial standing seeks buildings with more attractive exteriors and better decorated rooms. It will also be found that as families descend in the social scale one of the pains most keenly felt is the necessity for the occupancy of quarters in buildings whose general appearance indicates that they are occupied by the miserably poor.

"It may be said, therefore, that there is no plane of human existence in society which the housing question does not touch. There is no form of vice, crime, delinquency or shiftlessness which bad housing does not tend to nurture. 'Keeping up appearances' is often derided and deserves much of the reproach cast upon it when it simply means unwarranted extravagance to maintain a position which one's income does not justify, but among the poor it is an ever present aid to the maintenance of self respect and is to be encouraged rather than derided.

"Sanitary research shows how important is the reaction of adequate light and ventilation on the health, stamina and moral character of individuals. Bad housing furnishes the fruitful nurseries of disease germs of all kinds, while at the same time creating conditions which prevent the building up of resistance to their inroads."

Neighborhood Co-operation.

"Get acquainted with your neighbor. You might like him."

That expresses the leading purpose back of many of the neighborhood clubs which have been and are being organized in various sections of the state, says a bulletin of the University of Wisconsin. Many of these organizations afford excellent examples of the value of community enterprise in Wisconsin country life. In some of these localities successful fall festivals are being held, and in others the regular late fall and winter activities have already been started. From all sections of the state the reports are the same—that the local clubs are doing much for their members.

Many of Wisconsin's rural communities have during the past few years met and co-operatively solved many of their problems. Some of the clubs which are doing effective work are: The Brush Creek Temperance club, Vernon county; Nashotah Men's club, Waukesha county; Piceon Creek Young People's society, Trempealeau county; River Falls Home Culture club, St. Croix county; Interstate Park Farmers' club, Polk county; Spring Valley Town and Country club, Pierce county; and the well known Sauk county group, including the Kleebsch club, Fairfield Choral club, Excelsior Sauk Prairie Farmers' club, Skillet Creek Farmers' club, Norcross's Prairie County club and the Kirkwood Agricultural society.

Ed Christmas Dinner to Dog.
Arrested for feeding the Christmas dinner to the dog while three small children waited anxiously for it to be served, Andrew Tice, of 15 Linden avenue, Middletown, was sentenced to a week's jail for neglecting to serve fifteen days in Goheen jail. He was taken to the institution Sunday afternoon.

Daily Thought.
I was never less alone than when with myself.—Gibson.

Such a Life.
"Don't you think it is extremely vulgar to dress as Miss Stylish do to attract attention on the street?"
"Yes, indeed. I wonder who the dressmaker is?" I asked her, but she wouldn't tell me."

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Lemon and Orange Peel, lb. 17c
None-Such Mince Meat, 3 pkgs. 25c
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Large Ripe Bananas, doz. 20c

Basketball Saturday Afternoon.

On Saturday afternoon the basketball fans of this city who follow the semi-professional games, will be given a rare treat when the Crescent Club basketball team of this city will play the great Bay View Wanderers Five of Newark, N. J., at Washington Hall on Abel street. The Wanderers have the reputation of being the fastest semi-professional team now playing in the east, and this year's basketball guide book gives the team great praise for the remarkable record which they have made both at home and abroad. They made several visits to Kingston and on each occasion administered a severe drubbing to the local boys who were completely outclassed by this crack team. At that time such men as Gilhooley, Riley, "Porky" Flynn and Schwartz were in their lineup, and it is certainly time and money well spent to see this bunch of stars in action. The local Crescents have improved 100 per cent since they clashed with the Wanderers as their game against the Kolonials on Christmas Day plainly shows and the game on New Year's Day certainly had ought to prove a hummer. Spaul and Dittus have regained their slooting eyes, and it would be hard to find a better class of basketball, than that being played by Robinson, Grobe, Barnhardt, Gellman and Fox. Local fans are not optimistic enough to hope to see the Crescents come forth with a victory, but nevertheless at the rate the Crescents are now traveling they are certain to give the Wanderers a run for their money and the contest should prove one worth going a long way to witness. The game will start promptly at 2:30 o'clock in order that there may be plenty of time for a matinee dance which will start immediately after the close of the contest. McLean's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

ULSTER PARK.
Ulster Park, Dec. 29.—The Christmas exercises held in the brick church Thursday evening, Dec. 23, were not largely attended owing to the stormy weather.

Raymond Cole spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page and Miss Lizzie Ellison spent Christmas Day at Kingston with Mrs. Charles Forbes.

Miss E. Schryver of Kingston is spending the holidays at her home in this place.

Miss Edith Kopperrmann spent Christmas at her home in West Nyack.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kellermann of South Rondout spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. H. W. Osborn.

Miss Ruth Cole spent a few days at West Park, with Miss Anna Kniffen.

Lafayette Holstein spent Christmas with Charles Breeze.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sahler and son Jasor spent Christmas with his daughter at Hurley.

E. Roosa, son Robert and mother spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Charles York of St. Remy.

George Barley went under an operation Tuesday for appendicitis.

Miss Julia Toth, spent a few days last week with her parents at Storm King.

Ross Neher of Port Ewen spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. H. Winfield.

Mrs. John Osborn spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Every of Port Ewen.

Miss Minnie Schryver of New York spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. E. Schryver.

New York Produce Market.
Wheat.—Unsettled. Dec., \$1.30 nominal; May, \$1.32 nominal; spot No. 2 red winter, \$1.37 1/2, c. i. f. New York to arrive, \$1.41 f. o. b. to arrive.

Corn.—Weak. No. 2 yellow, 85c. Oats.—Easier. No. 3 white, 48 @ 49c. No. 4 white, 47 @ 48c; ordinary to fancy white clipped, 48 @ 52c.

Rye.—Steady. No. 2 western, \$1.06, c. i. f. New York; state, \$1.08, f. o. b. New York.

Barley.—Steady, unchanged. Hay.—Easier tone. No. 1, \$1.20 @ \$1.25; No. 3, 95c @ \$1.02 1/2.

Straw.—Steady. No. 1 straight rye, 70c asked.

Flour.—Dull. Prices unchanged. Potatoes.—Firm for white, sweets steady. White, nearby, \$2.50 @ \$2.55; Bermudas, \$4.00 @ \$4.50; southern, \$1.50 @ \$2.75; Jersey and Florida sweets, 15c @ \$2.25.

Dressed Poultry.—Steady. Prices nominally unchanged. Long Island ducks, 19 @ 20c; spring geese, 19 @ 20c.

Live Poultry.—Fair demand. No quotations.

Butter.—Weaker. Creamery extra, 33 1/2c bid; creamery firsts, 28 @ 32c; higher, scoring, 34 @ 34 1/2c; state dairy, tubs, 22 @ 31c; process extra, 24 1/2 @ 25 1/2c; imitation firsts, 23 @ 23 1/2c.

Eggs.—Steady. Nearby white, fancy, 45 @ 48c; nearby brown, fancy, 37 @ 40c; extras, 34 @ 35c; firsts, 31 @ 32c.

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Large Sour Pickles, 3 for 5c
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Six Boxes Sardines 25c
Med. Red Salmon, 2 for 25c
Best Creamery Butter 23c lb
Choice Cheese 22c lb
Lemon Biscuits, 7c lb or 4 lbs 25c
Uneda Biscuit, 6 for 25c
Boned Herring 18c lb
Force, pkg 10c
Davis Baking Powder 17c lb
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Fresh Oat Meal, 4c lb or 7 lbs 25c
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Pork Sausage, lb. 10c
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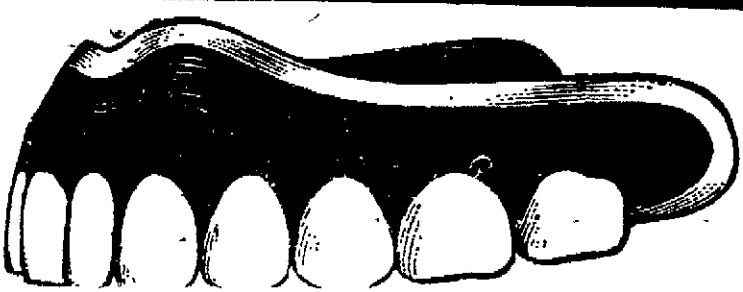
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ELLENVILLE

Ellenville, Dec. 29.—Christmas was observed at the Mitchell House, in the most appropriate and substantial manner, by serving an exceptionally fine dinner, which was well patronized by a large number of guests, both at home and out of town parties, enjoying the holiday feast. The dining room was prettily and artistically decorated with holly and evergreens, also American flags and Christmas bells, and presented an appearance of true Christmas cheer.

Among the guests stopping at the Mitchell House for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McLaren of Shandaken, N. Y., who are on their return from a honeymoon trip, which has included a visit to the Panama Exposition at San Francisco, Los Angeles, Salt Lake City and other points of interest. They are anticipating a trip, after the holidays, through the Canadian provinces. Mrs. McLaren was formerly Mrs. Robert Southwick of Grahamsville, and later a resident of Ellenville.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Millard of the Mitchell House are entertaining over the holidays Mr. and Mrs. William P. Marsh and family of Ridgefield Park, N. J. Mrs. Marsh is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard.

The basketball game on Christmas evening at Norbury Hall, between the Holy Name boys of St. Mary's Church of this place, and the Athletic Club of St. Mary's of Port Jervis, resulted in a victory for the home team. Score 28 to 15.

The Christmas hop at the Wayside Inn was held on Monday evening, December 27, 1915. This is the annual Christmas dance, and no pains had been spared to make it an interesting and enjoyable occasion. Music was furnished by McKelvey's famous orchestra of Hotel Martinique, and of the G. Heppner Wilson dances at Delmonico's in New York city. The affair was well attended by the older as well as the younger members of our social set. The committee in charge were S. Maxwell Taylor, Hon. W. D. Cunningham, Alfred Gaskell, J. H. Stephenson and Cleon B. Murray.

The Rev. W. E. Simson of East Greenbush, N. Y., preached in the Reformed Church of this place on Sunday morning, and made some very pleasing and appropriate remarks at the Christmas exercises on Sunday evening. He stopped, while in town, at the Mitchell House.

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THE VLY.

The Vly, Dec. 29.—The Christmas exercises were not very largely attended owing to the stormy weather. The grip epidemic has surely struck this place as a great many have it.

Mrs. Irving Jansen, who has been quite ill, is somewhat better at present.

The families of Arthur and Otis Trowbridge are suffering with the grip.

Miss Myrtle Markle of Pine Bush is ill at the home of her uncle in this place.

Miss Vesta Bush of Briarcliff is spending her vacation at her home here.

Chester Krom is spending some time in Kingston.

Miss Pearl Lasher is spending her vacation at her home in Woodstock.

Optimistic Thought.

A wise man pays homage to worth; a fool to wealth.

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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

Municipal Building, New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, in pursuance of chapter 724 of the laws of the City of New York, enacted in the year 1906, and amendments thereto, has

made such surveys, maps, plans, specifications, estimates and investigations, and has

deemed proper in order to ascertain the

facts as to what sources for an additional

supply of pure and wholesome water for

the City of New York exist and are most

available, desirable and best for the said

supply and has reported to the board of

estimate and apportionment, with recom-

mendations as to what action should, in its

wisdom, be taken with reference thereto,

which report, with a map, plan and profile

accompanying the same, bears the date of

June 13, 1906, and is entitled "Map and

profile showing manner of obtaining from

Schoharie creek an additional supply of

water for the City of New York," which

said map is on file in the office of the board

of estimate and apportionment of the City

of New York, in the Municipal Building, Park Row, Cen-

tre and Chambers streets, in New York

city; that said map and profile were ap-

proved by the board of estimate and ap-

portionment on July 8, 1906; that said map

and profile were submitted to the state com-

missioner on October 21, 1914; that said

board of water supply has made a further

report, dated September 21, 1915, to the

board of estimate and apportionment, in

which it is set forth that it is necessary

that the said map and profile, dated June

13, 1906, be now modified as shown upon a

map and profile submitted by said board

of water supply, dated December 21, 1915,

and entitled "Map and profile showing

manner of obtaining from Schoharie creek

an additional supply of water for the City

of New York," which said map is on file

in the office of the board of water supply

in the Municipal Building, Park Row, Cen-

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursu-

ance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill,

surrogate of Ulster county, notice is here-

by given, according to law, to all persons

having claims against Jacob H. Tremper,

late of the city of Kingston, county of

Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the

same with the vouchers in support there-

of, to the undersigned Jacob H. Tremper,

co executor of the estate of said de-

ceased, at his office, No. 238 State street,

Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 10th day

of June, 1916.

Dated, December 29th, 1915.

JACOB H. TREMPER, JR.,

Executor of etc., of Jacob H. Tremper.

Joseph M. Fowler, Attorney, 233 Wall

St., Kingston, N. Y.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

Special Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that I have re-

ceived the warrant for the collection of

the special assessment of 75 per cent of

the expense incurred in the construction

of a sanitary sewer for Sterling street be-

tween Greenkill avenue and extending

about 200 feet on Sterling street, in the

city of Kingston.

The same has been left with me for col-

lection at my office in the city hall, that

for thirty days from the date of this notice

the said assessment may be paid without

additional fees or charges, and that for

the twenty succeeding days 2 per centum

additional will be collected.

If any of the said special assessment

shall remain unpaid at the time last men-

tioned, I shall give a written or printed

notice to the person or persons against

whom such assessment stands charged, re-

quiring them to pay such unpaid assess-

ment to me at my office within thirty days

thereafter, with 5 per centum fees thereon,

and one dollar for such notice, as required

by the city charter.

Dated at the treasurer's office, city of

Kingston, December 21, 1915.

F. H. DOREMUS,

City Treasurer.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

Special Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that I have re-

ceived the warrant for the collection of

the special assessment of 75 per cent of

the expense incurred in the construction

of a sanitary sewer for Abbey street be-

tween existing sewer in Abbey street and

a point about 20 feet on Abbey street, in

the city of Kingston.

The same has been left with me for col-

lection at my office in the city hall; that

for thirty days from the date of this notice

the said assessment may be paid without

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RUSSIA SEEKS TO CUT OFF INVADERS

By Telegram to The Freeman

On the Russian front, Dec. 29.—Recently a new organization has appeared in the Russian army, its creation being due to the new phase upon which the war in Russia has now entered. The enemy's army is spreading itself over the vast plains of the great empire; it is far from its victualling and supply bases, and cannot find others in a country from which all the workers have fled before its approach, and where the Cossacks have not left a factory or a mill or the least trace of ordinary comfort in the little villages.

In Volhynia, through a great part of which I have traveled, the enemy is in occupation of ground which, even before the war, offered very little attraction either for the inhabitants or for visitors.

One can traverse these districts for whole days without seeing anything but woods and marshes. There are no proper roads; what pass for such are simply wide bands taken from the fields, irregular in form, nothing but mud when the weather is wet, and terrible dust when it is dry.

In summer the deep marshes are covered with a carpet of moss and grass; they resemble an innocent meadow strewn with flowers. How many times have we been deceived!

I remember the evening of the capture of Chortorisky. I was accompanied across the positions by a young officer, who in the morning, had charged at the head of his troops and had crumpled up the regiment of the Crown Prince's Grenadiers. Suddenly our horses' feet sank into the ground. We gave them the spur, but soon perceived that despite their desperate efforts they were losing their foothold. At first they tried to get out by raising their feet high; then they endeavored to jump, but only sank deeper into the mud. Finally they lost courage; they felt nothing under their feet and remained with their bellies resting on lumps of turf. When we succeeded in extricating them from the bog their legs were covered with thick, black mud.

It is easy to imagine the state of these marshes after several weeks of rain. It can also easily be understood that in such conditions as these the enemy only occupies a part of the country, and that the means of communication at his disposal are very limited.

The enemy feels depressed in these deserts where everything lies before him. That, at any rate, is the state of mind which I discovered among all the prisoners. Let the convoy which is bringing the enemy's food arrive only half a day late, and he will immediately feel a sense of privation.

Now suppose that a band of determined men should steal across his lines and people the forests he has left behind him during his advance. Let these bands hold themselves in the marshes which the enemy fears and hide in the extensive woods which he only partially occupies; they will be able to threaten his lines of communication and harass him at every opportune moment, follow him when he advances, despatch him when he retreats and surround him with perpetual dangers. They will work apart from any base, isolated like brigands, inspired by the grimmest determination and the coolest disdain for death.

Having been advised that a band of these partisans was about to leave with the intention of piercing the enemy's lines and burning their terrible and dangerous work. I went one morning to a large square where the ceremony of departure was to take place. On the left was cavalry, on the right Cossacks—an equal number of each. Among the Cossacks all ages were represented. The reason of this is that Russia has not yet called up her reserves for the cavalry, whereas the Cossacks are all called up, the young as well as the older, and one can see that men of all ages have answered the call for volunteers for the dangerous work that is in hand.

A solemn silence prevailed. The priest, who was about to conduct the ceremony, caused his assistant to place a small table in front of the troops, and we waited for the arrival of the general who has organized this corps. As soon as he was announced the men grouped themselves in a semi-circle in front of the priest. Placing himself in the center the general cried in a loud voice:

"Good day, partisans." The reply came in a long thunderous roll:

"Good day, general!"

Then the general began. The semi-circle of bare heads listened in deep silence. The priest intoned a solemn chant, and the voice of his assistant rose now and again in a more colored phrase. The troops continually crossed themselves, bending their heads almost to their horses' manes.

I said "Au revoir" to the others, and some of the men, as well, but one of the latter replied: "We shall not come back." There was a look of approval in the eyes of the others.

The enemy will treat them with much harshness, for they themselves cannot take prisoners. They are leaving without food, for they must be as light as birds, must seek their food amid the fields, or perhaps, in the anapack of a slain foe. They go without tents; they will sleep in the woods whether it is wet or fine. When they are wounded, no gentle hand will soothe their pain.

They are the descendants of the "guerrillas," who harassed the rear-guard of Napoleon's Grande Armée, but how much more dangerous is their task now. In 1813 they fought among their own people; now, on approaching the enemy, they cut off all chance of escape.

The last of the Cossacks passed before me. They were as proud as kings. One had a harmonica under his arm, and his comrade carried two lances. The crowd was silent, and for a long time we followed with our eyes these figures, who seemed already to be shadows floating towards death.

ONE DAY IN JAIL FOR EACH TWO CENTS

Cyrenius F. Brill, better known as "Teen," and one of the charter members of the "Help Yourself Club," was sentenced by Recorder Lang this morning to thirty days in the county jail for stealing Charles DuFon's roll consisting of sixty cents in loose change. About two years ago "Teen" stole Charley's suit case and received a jail sentence.

It seems that while Charley was asleep the other night at his boarding house "Teen," who occupied the same room, when he found that Charley was in slumberland turned him over on one side and abstracted the pocketbook from Charley's pocket and after removing the roll replaced the pocketbook and then jumped through the open window and disappeared. Whether it was the sound of "Teen" jumping through the window or the tinkling sound of the stolen roll reposing in "Teen's" pocket, but any way Charley awoke and found that he was sleeping on his other side and not on the side on which he reclined when he had retired for the night and he became suspicious that "Teen" might have "rolled" him. Sure enough he found that his roll was missing.

This morning Charley claimed that the amount of the missing roll was one dollar, but "Teen" interrupted to say "No, sir, it was only sixty cents." "Teen" claimed the reason he took that method of securing the roll was because Charley owed him that much money and had refused to pay him.

Charley denied it and said that when he employed "Teen" to do any work he always paid him. Charley assured the recorder that "Teen" is a hard egg, your honor.

"Teen" said he could not refund the amount of the roll as he had spent it.

Suffering in Serbia.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Paris, Dec. 29.—Dispatches received here today say that the Albanians are venting their hatred upon exiled Serbs. Exorbitant prices are being charged for food. A small piece of mouldy bread is often sold for a dollar or more. All reports from Albania say that the entire Serbian nation is on the high road to death by starvation. Babies expire at their mothers' breasts. The roadsides are strewn with corpses that are little more than skeletons.

Another John Griffin.

Editor Freeman: Dear Sir: I wish to announce to the public that the John Griffin who was arrested on Saturday night was not the John Griffin of 152 Wilbur avenue but was some other person of the same name as there are several persons of that name in the city of Kingston.

JOHN GRIFFIN,
152 Wilbur avenue
City.

Hospital Auxiliary Report.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Kingston City Hospital, held on Tuesday afternoon, the treasurer, Mrs. Conrad E. Hasbrouck, reported \$460 on deposit at interest and \$70 in the First National Bank, with all bills paid, up to date.

THE UP-TO-DATE STORE

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You know the iron clad rule of The Up-To-Date Cloak Mfg. Co.—"Nothing carried over from one season to another." This year is no exception and this sale promises to eclipse all previous sales for value giving.

A \$95,000 stock of Suits, Coats, Furs, Fur Coats, Dresses, Waists and Skirts all most go at a great loss.

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Scourge Almost Wiped From Earth.
The most terrific and wholesale "blunder" of all, smallpox, has been almost wiped off the earth by medical science. Barely a century ago from 40 to 60 per cent of the inmates of homes for the blind in Europe were there on account of smallpox! Now, thanks to vaccination, scarcely two per cent of all the blind owe their calamity to this cause.—Exchange.

In Advance.
Robert was visiting in a large city and was greatly excited over the prospect of going to see a big toy department the next day. When he was getting ready for bed he hugged his father with unusual vigor. "Daddy was pleased and said, 'That's very nice,' Robert said: 'Well, that's for two days. I am going to see the toys, and will have no time to love you tomorrow.'"

Simple Explanation.
"Impossible." "But I saw it." "Impossible—ridiculous!" "I tell you it did." "And I say it didn't because I couldn't." "I was there and witnessed it." "Do you mean to tell me that he was killed by a bolt from a clear sky? Do you expect me to believe such a yarn?" he shouted. "That's just what I'm telling you. A workman on a twenty-story building dropped the bolt."—Kansas City Journal.

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Men's \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats

S. W. Make
Kenyon Make

now \$7.98

Men's \$11.75 Suits and Overcoats

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Post Graduate Make

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Men's \$15.00 Suits and Overcoats

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Michaels-Stern Make

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Men's \$16.50 Suits and Overcoats

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Men's \$18.00 Suits and Overcoats

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Roberts-Wicks Make

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Men's \$19.75 Suits and Overcoats

Rochester Quality
Roberts-Wicks Make

now 16.85

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Men's \$28.00 Suits and Overcoats

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\$22.50 Fur Outside Overcoats are now \$17.50

\$28.00 Fur Outside Overcoats are now \$23.75

\$35.00 Fur Lined Overcoats are now \$24.75

\$40.00 Fur Lined Overcoats are now \$29.00

\$14.75 Fur Collar, Quilted Lined Overcoats - \$11.50

\$18.00 Heavy Long Black Overcoat Astrakhan Collar \$14.85

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For years with Sam Bernstein & Co.

Head of Wall St., Next to Carl's Dept. Store Kingston, N. Y.

"We" and "They."

In the smaller towns and country districts people say "we" when they speak of governmental activity. "We" built the courthouse and got it done at low cost. "We" organized the high school. "We" pay the expenses of keeping prisoners in the jail.

In the big cities people say "they." "Why don't they do this and so?" People wonder when the city government falls down. It isn't a personal matter with them. The government isn't their government. It belongs to somebody else.

There is a world of difference in the two attitudes. When the people of the cities get to saying "we" about their cities and counties, then they are going to clean house and take possession.—Kansas City Star.

History.

Brown—Anybody can make history, you know, but only a great man can write it. Smith—That may be, but when history is made it is always sure to be history, while when it is written it is merely some man's idea of history. Life.

One Improvement.

We never hear anybody talking about the good old times without being reminded that our forefathers had to crawl head first into their shirts.—Toldeo Blade.

Life's Grindstone.

Whether the grindstone of life wears a man down or polishes him up depends entirely on the stuff he is made of.—Youth's Companion

Classified Advertisements

ONE CENT A WORD

Classified advertisements in this department will be inserted at the uniform price of one cent per word for each insertion. Advertisements after one month, one-half cent per word will be charged. No advertisement less than 10 words. Orders may be left at the following places:

CHARLES W. CARD, Port Ewen, N. Y.
GEO. W. MOORE, 180 Broadway.
W. M. MULLEN, Elmira, N. Y.
WILLIAM O'REILLY, 330 Broadway.
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IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

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The horoscope of the person born today shows a contradictory nature difficult to understand. The mentality comes into the sphere of the occult and the clairvoyant, but is also practical, a combination seldom found. There is not great progress spiritually because the occult power is usually used by this person for temporal advancement. There is great love of money and pride in family and personal appearance. Sometimes this leads to disastrous extravagances. The women of this birthdate are artistic, musical and lovers of the beautiful in literature and art. Neither men or women of this birthdate are demonstrative in affection, but their love is strong and deep. The governing planets are Saturn and Mars. The governing sign is Capricorn. This always gives a too talkative nature. These people should avoid talking over their plans and be more secretive. Mechanics, metal workers and factory workers will all do well to search the Want Ads for opportunities during the coming month.

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STORM INTERRUPTS WIRE SERVICE

The storm today has caused more trouble with the telegraph wires than did that of ten days ago. Then the Freeman wire was out for only about an hour. Today the wire went out of business shortly after noon, the trouble being somewhere between this city and Highland.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

William McGrath of Phoenixia was in town today.

Frank Smith of Phoenixia was in town Tuesday.

The Rev. D. M. Dougherty of New York, formerly of this city, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn O'Connor of Van Buren street is spending her holiday vacation in New York city.

Clarence Hibbard, the blackface entertainer of Saugerties, was in Kingston today on business.

Miss Margaret Lane has returned to Staten Island after spending a few days at her home on East Strand.

Charles Morris is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home on Cedar street.

John T. Bond, the veteran jeweler on the Strand, is confined to his home on Franklin street by illness.

Joseph Leopold, who was in town for the wedding of his sister, has returned to his home in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carle of Liberty street, who spent Christmas with their daughter at Yonkers, have returned home.

Mrs. William J. Cuff of Weehawken is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Linden, of Tremper avenue.

Mrs. Frank Roosa of Rogers street has returned home, after spending the holidays with friends in New York city and Haverstraw.

Miss Kathryn E. Huhne of New York city is spending the holidays at the home of her brother, Dr. J. A. Huhne on Abel street.

Mrs. Mary McKee of Bridgeport, Conn. is spending the holiday week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kelsch, No. 105 Hudson street.

The Rev. F. B. Seeler, pastor of the Fair Street Reformed Church, is confined to his home on Maiden Lane with a severe attack of the grip.

Arthur Alton, an organist in New York city, is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Alton, No. 363 Hasbrouck avenue.

Miss Philippine M. Geger of Brooklyn is spending the holiday week with Mr. and Mrs. Percy V. Deyo at their home, No. 318 Hasbrouck avenue.

Mrs. William Dooley and daughter Helen, and son, Kenneth, have returned to their home in Haverstraw, after spending Christmas with Mrs. Dooley's daughter, Mrs. E. Finkle, of Tremper avenue.

Thomas B. Richardson, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson of Elmendorf street, has returned to his place of business in Norristown, Pa.

Miss Marian A. Owens, a graduate of Spencer's Business School, has obtained a good business position as stenographer and typist with the New York Board of Supervision and Electric Company, 4 Dumas street.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Dr. C. R. Baker's office call, at his office, 43 Crown street, is now 1012-J.

Tonight at 7:30 the annual Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school will be held at the Fair Street Reformed Church.

The Popular Boys of Rondout have already sold nearly 500 tickets for their dance in Washington Hall this evening and a fine time is expected.

Struck by an Engine.

While at work this afternoon shoveling the snow from a switch in the north yard on the West Shore railroad Stephen Schemu of No. 21 East Pierpont street was struck by an engine backing into the switch and knocked down. He escaped with a scalp wound and was removed to the Kingston City Hospital. It is thought that owing to the storm and the fact that he had his ears pulled down over his ears while at work he did not hear the engine approaching. His wounds are not considered serious.

Port Ewen W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Port Ewen W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. John A. Decker on Broadway, Port Ewen, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

DIED.

PRESTON—In this city, at the Huntington, December 28, 1915, Catherine A., daughter of Carlton S. and Roselene A. Preston. Funeral from the Huntington on Friday, December 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

POWLEY—In this city, December 28, 1915, Joseph L. Powley, in his 80th year. Funeral from his late residence, 279 E. Strand on Friday, December 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at convenience of family. Friends desiring to view the deceased may do so between the hours of 7 and 9 Thursday evening.

SOCIETY NOTES.

The senior class of the high school will give a dance in the school gymnasium tonight.

Mrs. J. Charles Snyder delightfully entertained her Sunday school class at dinner at her home on Washington street on Monday evening. The guests of honor were Cadet Robert Hasbrouck of the United States Military Academy at West Point, a former member of the class. Covers were laid for twelve. The guests were Robert Hasbrouck, Harry Fier, Albert Rasmussen, Robert K. Harper, Leeper, Harold Berensson, Calvin Wisner, Frank Taylor, Edward Stelle and Albert Deyo.

Mrs. J. Charles Snyder and William Matz, Jr., both of Saugerties, will be married on New Year's day.

Legg-Brown.

John C. Legg and Miss Jennie Brown, both residents of the South Side, Saugerties, were married on Christmas eve, Dec. 24, in Kingston. Rev. George E. Barber, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, performed the ceremony.

Goewey-Galloway.

Harold Goewey and Miss Margaret Galloway of Wallkill were married Christmas at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Van Ness Traver in the presence of relatives and a few friends.

Wolven-Miller.

Miss Ella Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Saugerties, and Charles Wolven of Newburgh, were married at Trinity Church rectory, Saugerties, Tuesday morning by the Rev. Thomas Cole. The attendants were Miss Margaret Wolven and Robert Schmitt.

Graves-Sutton.

At the Methodist parsonage at Weehawken on Saturday, December 18, Edward C. Graves of Willard, Colorado, and Miss Katie M. Sutton of Weehawken, formerly of Kingston, were married by the Rev. William H. Ayers. Mr. and Mrs. Graves will be at home to their friends, after a few days, on their ranch some six miles southwest of Willard. Friends from two states extend congratulations.

Marquand-VanWert.

On Christmas morning, Miss Ellen Van Wert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Van Wert, of Smith avenue and Clarence Marquand of West Chester street, were quietly married at the parsonage of the Church of the Comforter, the pastor, the Rev. W. F. Stowe, performing the ceremony. The bride had many friends in this city, and the groom, who for some time has been connected with Dr. B. L. Miller in his dental office on Wall street, is also popular with a wide circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Marquand will, for the present, make their home with the bride's parents, at No. 42 Smith avenue.

Wolfersteig-Leopold.

Oscar Wolfersteig and Matilda V. Leopold, both of this city, were united in marriage on Sunday, December 27, at 6 o'clock at St. Joseph's Rectory, the Rev. Thomas Brown officiating. They were attended by Clarence Wolfersteig and Helena E. Leopold, brother and sister of the young couple. After the ceremony the young couple were tendered a supper which only the members of both families and a few invited friends participated in. They will reside at the corner of Sterling and Cedar streets, where a newly furnished house awaited them. Both young people are popular in this city and have a host of best wishes for a long and prosperous married life.

Another Exceptional Lecture Course.

The committee which for the past few years has been responsible for the Post Jubilee Lecture Course, that has been such a success both as to the lectures and financial returns, held a meeting this morning at the home of the chairman, Mrs. DeWitt Roosa. The following members were present: Miss Mary Crosby, Mrs. Myron Teller, Mrs. Frank Seeley, Mrs. James Brink, Mrs. Arthur Cole, Miss Cassie, Mrs. Henry Van Hovenberg and Mrs. Reed. Practically all arrangements are now completed for this year's course of four lectures, and the speakers are all persons far famed for their ability as speakers on their respective subjects. The first lecture will be given on Monday evening, January 17, by Bishop Oldham, whose lecture last year held his audience spell-bound. Bishop W. F. Oldham will lecture on "America and the World Situation," a topic on which the people of Kingston will all gladly hear him. The second lecture will be given on March 29, the lecturer being Mrs. W. A. Montgomery, better known through her charming writings as "Helen Barrett Montgomery." Mrs. Montgomery, who entertains and interests men and women alike, will speak on "A Trip Around the World," and it was said by those who heard Mrs. Montgomery, that she was entirely unique in her presentation of sights she had seen and places she had visited. In April (probably) Bishop Homer C. Stutz will lecture on "South America," where he has been for some years, and he is reported as being a positively magnetic speaker, who chooses the subject matter for his lectures with rare wisdom and understanding of North American audiences. The last speaker needs no introduction to Kingstonians. Dr. Edward A. Steiner, and in May he will lecture on "The Struggle for Brotherhood," a subject which he will handle as only he knows how. The wife of course will be the same as former. It is the amazingly small sum of half a dollar for the four lectures. The places in which the lectures will be held will be announced later, as will the exact date of the Stutz and Steiner lectures.

Looking to the Future.

"She told Tom she simply could not make up her mind to be the wife of a poor man." "But Tom isn't a poor man." "No, but he soon would be if she married him."—Boston Transcript.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 29.—Some of the room-traders found the reason for offering stocks at concessions in the initial dealings in the renewed submarine activities in the Mediterranean, which were freely circulated late yesterday. In the first few minutes declines were sustained ranging from 1/4 to one point in nearly all the leading issues but offerings were easily absorbed and at the end of the first fifteen minutes most of these losses had been recovered and the market then showed a strong tone. American Smelting lost a point at the start, selling at 103 1/2, with a quick recovery to 103 3/4. New York Central yielded 3/4 to 108 1/2, followed by a brisk advance to 109 1/2. Steel common declined 1/4 to 87 1/2 followed by a rally to 87 3/4. Marine preferred opened 1/4 lower at 73 1/2 followed by a quick return to 74. Goodrich Rubber was the most active feature of the early trading, many buying orders being in evidence and a vigorous demand carried the price from 75 1/2 to 77.

A firmer tone prevailed during the late forenoon, with most attention attached to the railroad issues, which were in good demand at moderate advances. The industrials, however, under small offerings, sold slightly under their opening levels. Gains ranging from 1/4 to 3/4 points were made in Southern Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Reading and Union Pacific. Texas Company declined a point to 22 1/2 and fractional recessions were noted in Baldwin, Goodrich, Studebaker and American Steel Foundries. Money lending at 1 1/2 per cent.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29.

Sun rises, 7:20; sets, 4:37.
Weather, snow. Humidity, 67 to 75.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 31 degrees. The highest point registered up to noon today was 33 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Rain or sleet in south and probably snow in north portion this afternoon and tonight. Thursday, fair; easterly, shifting to westerly gales.

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CLUB STANDING IN THE LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
KINGSTON	12	5	.706
Jersey City	11	6	.647
Stamford	10	6	.625
Paterson	9	10	.474
Brooklyn	6	9	.400
North Hudson	0	3	.000

Schedule of Games This Week.
Thursday, Dec. 29.—Brooklyn at Jersey City.
Saturday, January 1.—Brooklyn at Kingston; Jersey City at Stamford; North Hudson at Paterson.
Sunday, January 2.—Stamford at North Hudson.

The first half of the championship season of the Interstate Basketball League will be brought to a close this week, and the winner of the present tournament will meet the leaders of the second half of the tournament which begins next week, in the final series for the championship at the end of the season.

Kingston assumed the lead by wrestling it from Jersey City in a closely contested game in the armory on Christmas Day and now have a full game advantage over their Skeeter rivals who are being hard pressed for second place by Stamford.

The rejuvenated Brooklyn team unhooked a spurt last week by defeating Paterson and North Hudson, and as they play in Kingston on New Year's night against the leaders this game will be the most important of the week in deciding the 1915 championship. Kingston has a postponed game to play in Brooklyn next week before it will have completed its full quota of games, and the Brooklynites are expected to be a serious stumbling block to the upstarts in both cashes.

Joe Johnson of Kingston leads the league in points scored with 131 to his credit made in 17 games, while Chief Muller of Jersey City has made 127 in 15 games. Closely following this pair are Norman and

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Smith of Stamford with 113 and 104 respectively. Schmeek of Brooklyn with 101. Henschel of Kingston with 91. Clinton of Paterson with 89, and Tome of Kingston with the same number.

Schmeek has participated in but 10 games, and has compiled the highest average of any players in the league, scoring a triple over ten points a game.

Messrs. Joe Burchill of New York, Murphy and Andrew Chambers of Lakewood, N. J., were added to the staff of referees.

Points Scored.

	F.B.	F.P.	T.P.
Johnson, Kingston	45	41	131
Muller, Jersey City	43	41	127
Norman, Stamford	34	45	112
Smith, Stamford	39	26	104
Schmeek, Brooklyn	40	21	101
Henschel, Kingston	29	33	91
Clinton, Paterson	24	41	89
Tome, Kingston	31	27	89
Rivch, Jersey City	27	25	79
Swenson, Paterson	22	35	79
Dreyfus, Stamford	25	28	78
Leonard, Paterson	19	30	68
Ripley, Brooklyn	22	23	67
McIntyre, Brooklyn	20	17	57
Harvey, Paterson	18	19	55
Barker, Kingston	20	15	55
Pfiffe, Brooklyn	16	20	52
Sumberg, Brooklyn	20	11	51
Bruggey, Kingston	22	30	47
Biggane, Jersey City	12	22	46
Barry, Stamford	15	16	46
Smolick, Stamford	16	13	45
Roach, Jersey City	11	23	45

FIELD OF SPORTS.

Notes of Baseball, Futilism and Other Lines of Athletics.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Denver, Col., Dec. 29.—Gilbert Gallant, the Boston batter, was given the referee's decision over Stanley Voakum of Denver at the end of 15 rounds of hard battling last night.

Akron, Ohio, Dec. 29.—Johnny Griffiths, Akron lightweight, fought Jack Britton of Chicago, a 12 rounds draw last night.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 29.—Billy Sullivan, formerly with the Chicago White Sox and a member of the Minneapolis American Association, champions last year, has signed a Detroit contract for the coming season.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 29.—Otis Clymer and Dave Altizer today announced their retirement from baseball, to engage in business. Altizer played with the Chicago White Sox.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Jimmy O'Hagan of Albany outpointed Frankie Nottler of Brooklyn in ten rounds here last night. O'Hagan did a Marathon throughout the fight and Nottler was unable to find him.

New York, Dec. 29.—It will be a long time before Ted Lewis will meet his match in the welterweight class, if his slowing last night against Willie Ritchie is any indication. Lewis boxed the former champion lightweight to a standstill, he swung rights and lefts, badly punishing the American fighter, and never did Willie have a look in. The finish of the ten rounds Ritchie was badly punished.

New York, Dec. 29.—Waldemar Zysko, the Polish wrestling champion, and John McGrath of Ireland were agreed to quit early today in their scheduled finish today in the international tournament. The grapplers had tussled and maulled for an hour and 40 minutes without either gaining a fall. The "Masked Marvel" forced Demetrius Youngstown, O. ... \$ 500
Total of, Greece, to quit after 30 minutes of wrestling. Stranger Lewis conquered Albert Muller in four minutes and nine seconds.

FLATBUSH.

Flatbush, Dec. 29.—Clarence Davis had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brodt of Yonkers were the guests of Mrs. Brodt's father, William H. Swart, for Christmas and the week end.
Master George Swart is the guest of his aunt in Yonkers.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis and family spent Christmas at Katrine as the guests of Frank Snyder.

Chester Swart is visiting his grandparents at Ashokan.

Frank Osterhoudt, who was recently operated on at the city hospital, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Giles Delamater, in Kingston.

Miss Hazel Swart of Greenpoint, Brooklyn, has been the guest of her father, William H. Swart, for a few days, and has now returned to Brooklyn where she has a position.

Miss Helen Van Gasbeck of Kingston was a Christmas guest at the home of Benjamin Osterhoudt.

No preaching services here again last Sunday, owing to the inclemency of the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Babcock of Kingston, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cramer, have returned home.

Miss Evelyn Pearson of Woodstock is spending her holiday vacation with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pearson.

Miss Mabel Cassell, who has been ill, is out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwynne Thomas entertained company on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Swart and Miss Minnie Swart of Kingston were Christmas day guests at the home of Benjamin Osterhoudt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Neice of Albany, Miss Mary Johnston and Miss Elsie Neice of Kingston were Christmas guests at the home of John Burhans.

Miss M. Pearl Boyd and Harry Myers were quickly married at Saucert's last Thursday evening. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends for a happy, prosperous life.

The wind storm Sunday did much damage to telephone wires through this section. On the Zahn farm were eleven large trees blown down and at the Saban place a large tree was blown across the state road.

The Sunday school entertainment has been given up on account of storm and bad walking. The rehearsals were poorly attended so they could not get ready for it. The candy and oranges will be distributed next Sunday morning at Sunday school.

Miss Catherine Osterhoudt of Bar Harbor, Maine, is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Edmund Osterhoudt.

MENKE'S DAILY SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)
New York, Dec. 29.—Tommy Murphy has supplanted "Pop" Geers as "The King of Reinsmen" by his wonderful achievements during the 1915 trotting season.

Murphy, by winning \$116,586 this year eclipsed the \$116,370 record established in 1902 by Geers, and incidentally he set a mark for single season harness earnings that never may be eclipsed or equalled.

Of his earnings, Murphy secured \$107,336 in regular purse events and only \$9,250 in special match races. Geers, in 1902, won only \$66,370 in regular races. The other money came when he piloted Lord Derby, 2:06 1/4 to victory over Borama, 2:06 1/2 in a \$50,000 match race in Hartford.

Murphy's phenomenal success on the turf during the past season was not surprising—nor was there the slightest element of fluke about it. For many years he has ranked 45 among the greatest reinsmen in the world, and this year he jumped to the fore as the peer of them all.

Won \$548,586 in 5 Years.
Murphy's winning in 1914 went above the \$100,000 mark. His earnings for the seven years period from 1909 to 1915 inclusive reach the amazing total of \$548,586, an average of nearly \$80,000 a year.

Murphy's greatest coup this season was in San Francisco, where he gathered in \$20,200 during the campaign there. His next best winning was in Lexington, Ky., where he won \$14,470. At Columbus he won \$12,170 while in Syracuse he took home \$9,027. His smallest winning was at Youngstown, Ohio, where he earned \$500 during the "minor league" meet staged there.

Murphy's great record this year was made possible by the fact that he piloted the racing sensation of the year—Peter Scott, 2:05 1/4—owned by Henry Oliver of Pittsburgh.

Peter Scott's Record.
During the 1915 season Peter Scott won the startling sum of \$50,335 for his driver and owner. In San Francisco the great trotting stallion made his best showing, winning \$14,250. On the Grand Circuit the best Peter Scott winning was \$6,000 at Columbus, Ohio. The poorest record turned in by the horse was from North Randall, Ohio, track, where he won only \$1,285 during the meet.

The greatest winning ever made by a harness horse in one season was by Lord Derby in 1902 when his total reached \$57,625. However, only \$7,625 was won in regular purses, the other \$50,000 coming through the medium of that Borama match race. Peter Scott's record made this year is the next best, and all of it was won in regular events.

The Figgers.
Here is a table showing how Murphy made his record earnings this year:

Youngstown, O.	\$ 500
North Randall, O.	5,830
Detroit, Mich.	6,450
Kalamazoo, Mich.	7,350
Grand Rapids, Mich.	3,000
North Randall, O.	3,000
Montreal, P.	7,720
New York City	5,213 1/2
Hartford, Conn.	8,550
Syracuse, N. Y.	9,027 1/2
Columbus, O.	12,170
Allentown, Pa.	4,250
Lexington, Ky.	14,470
San Francisco, Cal.	26,200
Total	\$116,586

SOUTH RONDOUT.
South Rondout, Dec. 29.—There was a large attendance at the church on Christmas night to listen to the entertainment given by the members of the Sunday school.

Considering only one week was given the children to prepare for it, they never did better. The young people of the Sunday school had charge of the decorations, which were very pretty. The following program was rendered:

Chorus by school, Marching "Neath the Starlit Skies.
Welcome, Evelyn Hotaling.
Prayer by pastor.

Responsive readings by school.
Recitation by Curtis Clair, Marian Hicks and Helen Boyce, of the primary class.

Chorus, Sceptre of Judah.
Recitation, Sebastian Digler.
Recitation, Edith Blodgett, Evelyn Hotaling, Dorothy Hicks and Helen Boyce, of the primary class.

Class song by Miss Olson's class of girls.
Recitation, Curtis Clair.
Solo, In the Orient Sky, by Mrs. Wallace Boyce, with chorus by choir.

Recitation, Old Fashioned Grandma, Marjorie Blodgett.
Chorus, The Starbeams Shine.
Recitation, Helping Mother, Anna Mains.

Song, Gallub, Evelyn Hotaling.
Recitation, The Three Farmer Boys, Alfred Gurney and Harold and Alfred Stingle.
Class song by Mrs. L. Hyde's class of girls.

Chorus, His Natal Morn.
Recitation, Helen Nizden.
Recitation, Katherine Cole.
Chorus, Bethlehem Awake.
Recitation, four girls.

Recitation, Margaret Genthner.
Closing chorus, Rest Thee Redeemer.
Solo by Mrs. Boyce, with chorus by school, after which the children received presents from the school.

The following scholars received books for perfect attendance during the year: The Misses Emma and Julia Myers, Harry and Anna Mains, Katherine Stingle, Curtis Clair, Evelyn Hotaling and Dorothy Hicks.

An interesting Christmas program was given at the school house by the children of the Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond, whose husband died of pneumonia in New York last week, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clair.

Charles Marchant of New York spent Christmas and Sunday with his parents on Connelly Heights.

Mrs. Andrew Cockfair is ill with grip at her home on Connelly Heights.

Dr. Robinson is attending her.

Charles Finn of New York has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. E. Marchant, on Connelly Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Vleet and two children of Port Ewen spent Christmas with Mr. Van Vleet's mother, Mrs. Joseph Snyder, on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hotaling entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. Haines and daughter, Florence, and Mrs. Wallace Boyce and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Hotaling and son, Kenneth, on Christmas day.

At the annual meeting of the Sunday school board on Friday evening, December 17, the following officers were elected for the year 1916: Superintendent, Edward Marchant; assistant superintendent, Andrew Cockfair; secretary, Miss Bertha Olsen; assistant secretary, Miss Ruth Marchant; treasurer, Edison Marchant; librarians, Harry Mains and Clarence Hyde; superintendent of home department, Mrs. Liberty Hyde; superintendent of cradle roll, Mrs. Josie Hotaling; organist, Miss Harriet Olsen; assistant organist, Mrs. Josie Hotaling.

The C. E. meeting on Sunday evening was led by Miss Susan Wolfe.

On Sunday morning our pastor preached a Christmas sermon from St. John 1: 10-11 verses. There was Christmas music by the choir, Mr. Phillips and Mrs. Josie Hotaling sang Holy Night, Silent Night, and the evening the theme was the old year. Mr. Phillips and Mrs. Hotaling sang by request One Sweetly Solenn Thought. Mr. Phillips sang for an offertory The New Born King, by Neidlinger.

A watch night service will be held on Friday night, beginning at 9 o'clock.

Miss Margaret Riefenberg of Connelly Heights is spending a week with relatives and friends in Brooklyn and Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Crittendon spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Watts, at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Longyear were guests of Mr. Longyear's sister, Mrs. Shurtler, at Kingston on Christmas day.

Hudson Cole left Monday for Rensselaer, where he has accepted a position on the Boston and Albany Railroad.

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Captain John Gurney, whose boat is at Haverstraw, spent Christmas with his family here.

John Hurwitz, superintendent of the Nitro Powder Company, spent Christmas at his home at New Haven, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lund of Brooklyn and Mrs. Lydia Hyatt of New York were guests of Mrs. Lund's and Mrs. Hyatt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clair, Christmas and Sunday.

Leslie McKinley of New York spent Christmas and Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Ida Mauer is ill with bronchitis at her home on Second street. Dr. Ross is attending her.

John Stout presented his daughter Helen with a Knabe piano, purchased from W. H. Rider, for a Christmas present.

William Myers of New York spent Sunday with his parents here.

Elizabethport spent Christmas with Mr. Hyde's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liberty Hyde, on Second street.

Miss Elizabeth Clair spent Christmas and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Maggie Boyce, at Kingston.

Edwin Cole, Jr., of New York spent Christmas and Sunday at his home here.

Michael Fallon, of the tug boat Wilson P. Foss, was a guest of his sisters, the Misses Maggie and Annie Fallon, over the Christmas holidays.

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Our stock has been rearranged for the last week of the year sales. Many pretty and useful articles will be picked up this week for New Year gifts and for personal use.

See Our Special Sale Tables

Come early in the week, if possible. Our holiday stocks were never sold out closer. A few more days will clear the tables.

Plenty of Good Winter Merchandise

While manufacturers and jobbers have advanced their prices on Blankets, Quilts, Sweaters, Gloves, etc., we can still offer you the best values at the good, old prices. Better secure your winter supply at once.

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26 BROADWAY

DOWNTOWN

gram was given at the school house by the scholars on Thursday afternoon after which Santa Claus presented each scholar with fruit, candy and popcorn balls.

George Harrigan of Hoboken spent Christmas and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Michael Mauer, on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Dunn of New York, Garrett Dunn of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dunn of South Rondout were entertained Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn on Connelly Heights.

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